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WALLACE EVERETT CALDWELL

Wallace Everett Caldwell was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., on April 26, 1890; his parents were Frank Eddy Caldwell and Anne Frances Horton Caldwell. He was graduated from Cornell University in 1910 with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. In 1919 he received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Columbia University. On June 8, 1915, he married Harriet Elvira Wilmot; there are three children: Edward Everett, Robert Wallace, and Martha Belle Wilmot. He lives at 412 East Rosemary Street, Chapel Hill.

From 1912 to 1914 he was Master of the Allen-Stevenson School, New York City; from 1915 to 1916 he was an Instructor in Indiana University, from 1916 to 1917 in the High School of Commerce (New York City), from 1917 to 1921 in Columbia University. From 1921 to 1922 he was a student in the University of Ghent, Belgium. In 1922 he came to the University of North Carolina as Associate Professor of Ancient History; since 1928 he has been Professor of Ancient History there. He is the author of *Hellenic Conceptions of Peace* (1919), *The Ancient World* (1937), a revised edition of that volume (1949), *Thebes* (a translation), (1926), and with E. H. Merrill, *World History* (1949).

He is a member of the American Historical Society, the Classical Association of the Middle West and South, the Archeological Society of North Carolina (President, 1933-1936), the American Archeological Institute (Vice President, 1950), Acacia Fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa, the Sons of the American Revolution. He is Past Governor of the North Carolina Society of Mayflower Descendants.

He received the Degree of Entered Apprentice in Mistletoe Lodge No. 647, Brooklyn, N. Y., on May 25, 1913; on June 19 he became a Fellow Craft, and on October 3 he was raised to the Sublime Degree of Master Mason. On April 19, 1926, he joined University Lodge No. 408, Chapel Hill. He received the Chapter Degrees in Durham in 1939 and was High Priest in 1943-1944; the Council Degrees in 1941 and was Illustrious Master in 1945; the Commandery in 1943 and was Commander in 1946. In that year he was honored with the distinction of Knight York Cross of Honor. He completed the degrees of the Scottish Rite in Greensboro in 1946 and became a member of Sudan Temple of the Shrine in 1947. In the same year he joined the Order of the Eastern Star. He is now Grand Director of Ceremonies of the Allied Masonic Degrees and a Fellow of the Grand College of Rites of the United States. In 1945 he was consecrated a Holy Royal Arch Knight Templar Priest. He was appointed Junior Grand Steward by Grand Master James E. Shipman.

Wallace Caldwell is an inspiring ritualist, a learned Masonic student and writer, a speaker in wide demand, a distinguished scholar, a Master Mason in the highest and best sense of that title. The Grand Lodge of North Carolina is fortunate in having such a man as its Grand Master.

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An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the hall of Spencer Lodge No. 543, A. F. & A. M., at Spencer on Tuesday morning, May 10, 1949, at 11:00 o'clock, with the following present:

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W.˙.W. H. Barnett (543) *As Grand Marshal*
W.˙.W. P. McCall (543) *As Grand Steward*
W.˙.S. A. Foltz (543) *As Grand Steward*
W.˙.J. M. Brannock (543) *As Grand Tyler*
W.˙.J. E. Younts (348) *As Grand Chaplain*

The Grand Lodge was opened in DUE FORM by R.˙.W.˙.Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, and he announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication is to lay the cornerstone of the new temple of Spencer Lodge No. 543, A. F. & A. M.

Accordingly, the cornerstone of the temple of Spencer Lodge No. 543, A. F. & A. M., was formally laid in accordance with ancient ceremony. Following the ceremony, the Acting Grand Master delivered an interesting and instructive address, after which the Grand Lodge returned to the hall of Spencer Lodge No. 543, A. F. & A. M.

On motion duly made by M.˙.W.˙.J. Giles Hudson, P. G. M., seconded, and carried unanimously, the Grand Secretary was instructed to send to M.˙.W.˙.Brother Wilkins P. Horton, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, absent due to illness, a telegram wishing him a speedy return to health and expressing the sincere

regrets of the assembled Brethren that he was unable to be present.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in DUE FORM.

WALLACE E. CALDWELL, *D. G. M.,*
Acting Grand Master.

ATTEST: W. L. MCIVER, *Grand Secretary.*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the hall of Bula Lodge No. 409, A. F. & A. M., at Burlington on Saturday morning, May 28, 1949, at 10:00 o'clock, with the following present:

R.·.W.·.Wallace E. Caldwell, D.G.M. (408) *Acting Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Holland McSwain, D.D.G.M. (11) *As Deputy Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Edgar H. McBane, D.D.G.M. (542) *As Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Mason E. Brown, P.M. (674) *As Junior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.William L. Burke, P.M. (409) *As Grand Treasurer*
R.·.W.·.Wilbur L. McIver, P.M. (151) *Grand Secretary*
W.·.Edwin T. Howard, P.M. (344) *Senior Grand Deacon*
W.·.William S. Owens, P.M. (409) *As Junior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Chas. A. Harris, Grand Steward (113) *As Grand Marshal*
W.·.Charles M. Gueth (674) *As Grand Steward*
W.·.Kermit L. Neese (409) *As Grand Steward*
W.·.Fred F. Harding, P.M. (500) *Grand Tyler*
M.·.W.·.R. V. Hope, P.G.M. (Tenn.-202) *As Grand Chaplain*
W.·.Robert D. Anthony, P.M. (409) *As Grand Lecturer*

The Grand Lodge was opened in DUE FORM by R.·.W.·.Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, and he announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication is to lay the cornerstone of the new gymnasium at Elon College.

Accordingly, the Grand Lodge proceeded to Elon College for the ceremony. The cornerstone of the new gymnasium at Elon College having been laid in accordance with ancient ceremony, the Grand Lodge returned to the hall of Bula Lodge No. 409, A. F. & A. M., at Burlington.

The purpose for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in DUE FORM.

WALLACE E. CALDWELL, *D. G. M.,*
Acting Grand Master.

ATTEST: W. L. MCIVER, *Grand Secretary.*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the hall of Andrews Lodge No. 529, A. F. & A. M., at Andrews on Wednesday afternoon, November 2, 1949, at 1:00 o'clock with the following present:

M.˙.W.˙.M. E. Hoffman, P.G.M. (118) ....*Acting Grand Master*
M.˙.W.˙.Thomas J. Harkins, P.G.M. (118) .*As Deputy Grand Master*
R.˙.W.˙.Gordon L. Butler,D.D.G.M. (672) .*As Senior Grand Warden*
R.˙.W.˙.Olen L. Stratton, P.M. (529) ....*As Junior Grand Warden*
R.˙.W.˙.Mason E. Brown, P.M. (674) ...*As Grand Treasurer*
R.˙.W.˙.Wilbur L. McIver, P.M. (151) .. *Grand Secretary*
W.˙.Edwin T. Howard, P.M. (344) ..... *Senior Grand Deacon*
W.˙.Guy L. Houk, D.D.G.M. (145) .....*As Junior Grand Deacon*
W.˙.Charles C. Ricker (118) .....*As Grand Marshal*
W.˙.John C. Vance, P.M. (118) ..... *Grand Steward*
W.˙.M. Y. Jarrett, P.M. (459) .....*As Grand Steward*
W.˙.S. D. Robinson (529) .....*As Grand Tyler*
W.˙.Clarence Adams (672) .....*As Grand Chaplain*
W.˙.H. L. Mulkey, P.M. (529) .....*As Grand Lecturer*

The Grand Lodge was opened in FORM by M.˙.W.˙. Brother Maxwell E. Hoffman, P. G. M., and he announced that the purpose of this Emergent Communication is to bury with Masonic honors the remains of our deceased Brother, M.˙.W.˙.Clyde Hamilton Jarrett, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina.

The usual ceremony in the lodge hall having been conducted, the Grand Lodge proceeded to Andrews Baptist Church for the funeral service, and thence to Valley Town Cemetery where the remains were interred with Masonic honors, W.˙.Brother John C. Vance, Grand Steward, being in charge of the service at the grave.

The following Brethren served as pallbearers: Dillie Lunsford, Luke Ellis, Clyde Fraley, W. A. Reece, Frank Swan, Carroll Day, W. D. Whitaker, and Galusha Pullium.

The ceremony at the grave having been concluded, the Grand Lodge returned to the lodge hall. The purpose

for which this Emergent Communication was called having been accomplished, the minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in FORM.

MAXWELL E. HOFFMAN, *P. G. M.*,
Grand Master.

ATTEST: W. L. MCIVER, *Grand Secretary.*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the hall of Columbus Lodge No. 102, A. F. & A. M., at Pittsboro on Thursday morning, February 2, 1950, at 10:00 o'clock, with the following present:

R.·.W.·.Wallace E. Caldwell, D.G.M. (408) *Acting Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.G. Dudley Humphrey (1) ..... *As Deputy Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Herbert M. Foy, P.M. (322) .... *Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.William H. White, P.M. (151) .. *Junior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.J. Hardy Lanier (500) ..... *As Grand Secretary*
W.·.Edwin T. Howard, P.M. (344) ..... *Senior Grand Deacon*
W.·.E. E. Williams, P.M. (102) ..... *As Junior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Charles H. Pugh, P.M. (369) ..... *Grand Marshal*
W.·.Edgar H. McBane, D.D.G.M. (542) .. *As Grand Steward*
W.·.Charles A. Harris, P.M. (113) ..... *Grand Steward*
W.·.Joe T. Torbert (102) ..... *As Grand Tyler*
W.·.Hugh W. Prince, P.M. (147) ..... *As Grand Chaplain*

PAST GRAND MASTERS PRESENT

M.·.W.·.Charles B. Newcomb (1)
M.·.W.·.William J. Bundy (284)

The Grand Lodge was opened in DUE FORM by R.·.W.·.Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, and he announced that this Emergent Communication was called for the purpose of conducting the funeral of, and paying the last tribute of respect to, M.·.W.·.Wilkins Perryman Horton, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, who died on Wednesday morning, February 1, 1950, at 2:27 o'clock.

The Acting Grand Master conducted the usual service in the lodge hall, and appointed the following Brethren to serve as pallbearers: J. A. Farrell, R. E. Roberson, J. S. Waters, J. W. Stroud, J. Clyde McCollum, Daniel L. Bell, W. F. Bland, and John Bell, Jr.

The Grand Marshal then formed the procession which proceeded to Pittsboro Methodist Church where services were held. At the conclusion of the service at the Church, the remains were conveyed to the Church Cemetery where they were interred with Masonic honors.

The Grand Lodge then returned to the lodge hall. The minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in DUE FORM.

WALLACE E. CALDWELL, *D. G. M.,*
Acting Grand Master.

ATTEST: J. HARDY LANIER, *As Grand Secretary.*

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION

An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina was held in the lodge hall at 133 Fayetteville Street (Sixth Floor) in Raleigh on Sunday afternoon, March 19, 1950, at 2:30 o'clock, with the following present:

R.·.W.·.Wallace E. Caldwell, D.G.M. (408) *Acting Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Frank A. Cella (40) ..... *As Deputy Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Joseph J. Crowder (218) ..... *As Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Howard W. Shelden (500) ..... *As Junior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.Edwin W. Yates, P.M. (218) ... *As Grand Treasurer*
R.·.W.·.Wilbur L. McIver, P. M. (151) ... *Grand Secretary*
W.·.Horace A. McAllister, P.M. (40) ... *As Senior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Roy R. Pool, P.M. (40) ..... *As Junior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Douglas O. Pike, D.D.G.M. (40) ..... *As Grand Marshal*
W.·.Karl B. Glenn, P.M. (218) ..... *As Grand Steward*
W.·.Roscoe E. Shumaker, P.M. (40) .... *As Grand Steward*
W.·.Earl N. Howard (500) ..... *As Grand Tyler*
W.·.George N. Harward (408) ..... *As Grand Chaplain*
W.·.Craven E. Harrington, P. M. (500) .. *As Grand Lecturer*
J. Hardy Lanier (500) ..... *Assis. to the Gr. Secretary*
L. D. Wilson (40) ..... *Bearer of Lights*

The Grand Lodge was opened in DUE FORM by R.·.W.·.Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, and he announced that, agreeable to the request of the family and of M.·.W.·.Brother Benjamin E. Patton, Grand Master of Masons in Illinois, this Emergent Communication was called for the purpose of conducting a Masonic funeral service for M.·.W.·. Brother Elmer E. Beach, Past Grand Master of Masons in Illinois, who died at his home, 2712 Van Dyke Avenue, Raleigh, North Carolina, on March 17, 1950.

The Acting Grand Master conducted the usual ceremony in the lodge hall, and the Grand Secretary gave the following information relative to the Masonic history of M.·.W.·.Brother Beach:

Grand Master of Masons in Illinois for two years (1921-22 and 1922-23).

Chairman of the Committee on Correspondence of The Grand Lodge of Illinois since 1933.

Grand Representative of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina Near The Grand Lodge of Illinois since 1942.

The Grand Marshal then formed the procession which proceeded to Brown's Funeral Home, Raleigh, where the funeral service of the Episcopal Church was conducted by Rev. Ray Holder, Rector of Christ Episcopal Church, Raleigh, following which the (Illinois) Masonic service appropriate for such an occasion was conducted. Inasmuch as the remains are to be cremated and the ashes later conveyed to Illinois for burial, there were no graveside ceremonies, and the Grand Lodge returned to the lodge hall.

The Acting Grand Master was assisted in the service at Brown's Funeral Home by W.·.Harrison Kauffman, Past Master of Hiram Lodge No. 40.

The minutes were read and approved, and the Grand Lodge was closed in DUE FORM.

WALLACE E. CALDWELL, *D. G. M.,*
Acting Grand Master.

ATTEST: W. L. MCIVER, *Grand Secretary.*

FIRST DAY—NIGHT SESSION

The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina convened in its One Hundred Sixty-third Annual Communication in the Auditorium of Hugh Morson High School in Raleigh, North Carolina, on Tuesday evening, April 18, 1950, at 7:30 o'clock, and was opened in DUE FORM by R.·.W.·.Wallace Everett Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, presiding, it appearing that a constitutional number of lodges were represented.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Brother Newton J. Robison, Grand Chaplain.

GRAND OFFICERS PRESENT

R.·.W.·.Wallace E. Caldwell†	(408)	*Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master*
R.·.W.·.Herbert M. Foy†	(322)	*Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.William H. White†	(151)	*Junior Grand Warden*
M.·.W.·.Herbert C. Alexander*	(31)	*Grand Treasurer*
R.·.W.·.Wilbur L. McIver†	(151)	*Grand Secretary*
W.·.Edwin T. Howard†	(344)	*Senior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Robert L. Pugh†	(568)	*Junior Grand Deacon*
W.·.Charles H. Pugh†	(369)	*Grand Marshal*
W.·.John C. Vance†	(118)	*Grand Steward*
W.·.Charles A. Harris†, C.L.	(113)	*Grand Steward*
W.·.Fred F. Harding†	(500)	*Grand Tyler*
W.·.Newton J. Robison	(500)	*Grand Chaplain*
W.·.Emery B. Denny†	(668)	*Grand Historian*
W.·.Fred C. Kinzie†, C.L.	(673)	*Grand Lecturer*
W.·.G. Dudley Humphrey†, C.L.	(1)	*Judge Advocate*

PAST GRAND MASTERS PRESENT

Hubert M. Poteat*	(282)	Thomas J. Harkins*	(118)
Edgar W. Timberlake*	(282)	James E. Shipman*	(387)
J. Wallace Winborne*	(237)	James W. Payne*	(543)
Herbert C. Alexander*	(31)	Julius C. Hobbs*	(1)
Charles B. Newcomb*	(1)	William J. Bundy*, C.L.	(284)
J. Giles Hudson*	(576)	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.*	(32)
Watson N. Sherrod*	(447)	Maxwell E. Hoffman*	(118)

PAST GRAND SECRETARY PRESENT

Charles B. Newcomb* (1)

† Past Master

* Past Grand Master

BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES PRESENT

R.·.W.·.Wallace E. Caldwell†	(408)	*Deputy Grand Master Acting Grand Master Chairman*
R.·.W.·.Herbert M. Foy†	(322)	*Senior Grand Warden*
R.·.W.·.William H. White†	(151)	*Junior Grand Warden*
M.·.W.·.Herbert C. Alexander*	(31)	*Grand Treasurer*
R.·.W.·.Wilbur L. McIver†	(151)	*Grand Secretary, Secretary*
M.·.W.·.Watson N. Sherrod*	(447)	1950
M.·.W.·.Edgar W. Timberlake*	(282)	1950
M.·.W.·.James E. Shipman*	(387)	1951
M.·.W.·.Thomas J. Harkins*	(118)	1951
M.·.W.·.Chas. B. Newcomb*	(1)	1952
M.·.W.·.J. Wallace Winborne*	(237)	1952

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS PRESENT

R.·.W.·.Wallace E. Caldwell†	(408)	*Deputy Grand Master Acting Grand Master*
W.·.Fred C. Kinzie†, C.L.	(673)	*Grand Lecturer*
W.·.James G. Johnston†, C.L.	(261)	1950
W.·.Scott S. Fay†, C.L.	(650)	1950
W.·.C. E. Harrington†, C.L.	(500)	1951
M.·.W.·.James E. Shipman*	(387)	1951, *Chairman*
W.·.William H. Hardy†, C.L.	(390)	1952
M.·.W.·.Charles B. Newcomb*	(1)	1952, *Secretary*

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS PRESENT

1—Cecil C. Winslow†	(106)	Hertford, Box 285
2—Biver E. Grant†, C. L.	(5)	Windsor, Box 278
4—Ballard S. Gay†, C. I.	(56)	Jackson, Box 6
4-A—Francis H. Eason†	(497)	Littleton, Drawer F
5—Charles R. Gray†	(296)	Robersonville, Box 205
10—Haywood C. Porter†	(1)	Wilmington, 305 Market Street
11—John B. Regan†	(474)	St. Pauls
12—Lloyd L. Woolley†	(484)	Southern Pines, Box 748
14—John F. Lynch†	(556)	Erwin
15—Douglas O. Pike†	(40)	Raleigh, c/o State Hospital
18—Tom G. Bunting†	(85)	Nashville
20—James W. Green†, C. I.	(113)	Roxboro, 201 South Main Street
21—Holland McSwain†	(11)	Yanceyville
23—Edgar H. McBane†	(542)	Greensboro, 403 N. Mendenhall St.
24—Walter L. Grimsley†	(437)	Troy, Box 124
25—Charles L. Polk†, C. L.	(618)	Midland
26—Joe G. Chaney†	(578)	Wingate
27—James G. Johnston†, C. L.	(261)	Charlotte, 701 Wilder Building
28—Andrew S. Melvin†	(369)	Gastonia, Box 1129
29—James H. Mullis†, C. L.	(299)	Harmony
31—Millard F. Patterson†	(322)	Mount Airy, Box 561
33—James C. McNeil†	(573)	Buck

† Past Master * Past Grand Master

34—Ralph C. Gentry†.....(423) Glade Valley
36—R. Norris Hoyle†.....(248) Newton, Box 425
37—George D. Washburn†.....(202) Shelby
38—Jesse J. Jenkins†.....(387) Hendersonville, Box 516
39—Cecil B. McElroy†.....(293) Stocksville
40—Walter C. Berry†.....(357) Bakersville
41—Shirley E. Connatser†.....(259) Waynesville
44—Paul J. Story†.....(237) Marion

†Past Master.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND LODGES IN THE UNITED STATES PRESENT

ALABAMA.....D. Ernest Bulluck
COLORADO.....Watson N. Sherrod
DELAWARE.....A. B. Goetze
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.....Edgar W. Timberlake
FLORIDA.....Wilbur L. McIver
IDAHO.....Henry W. Pickett
INDIANA.....Sam D. Bundy
LOUISIANA.....J. Wallace Winborne
MAINE.....Fred F. Harding
MARYLAND.....Harry W. Walker
MASSACHUSETTS.....Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.
MISSISSIPPI.....Henry M. Brandon
MONTANA.....Dr. Charles H. Pugh
NEVADA.....James E. Shipman
NEW YORK.....Dr. Wallace E. Caldwell
SOUTH CAROLINA.....John B. Regan
TENNESSEE.....Herbert C. Alexander
UTAH.....William J. Bundy
VERMONT.....Charles T. McClenaghan
VIRGINIA.....Thomas J. Harkins
WASHINGTON.....Hugh W. Prince
WEST VIRGINIA.....Frank M. Pinnix

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND LODGES PRESENT

AMAZONAS E. ACRE.....Leon Godown
ARGENTINE.....Fred C. Kinzie
CANADA (ONTARIO).....Dr. Hubert M. Poteat
CARTEGENA.....Edwin T. Howard
DENMARK
(NATIONAL GRAND LODGE OF)...Lester H. Gillikin
ECUADOR.....Roscoe M. Wynn
EL POTOSI (SAN LUIS POTOSI).....Charles M. Walker
GREECE.....Julius C. Hobbs
GUATEMALA.....J. G. Hudson
MANITOBA.....Willie F. Owens

† Past Master * Past Grand Master

OCCIDENTAL MEXICANA (JALISCO) ---Charles A. Harris
PARA----------Millard F. McKeel
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND----------A. S. Chesson
QUEENSLAND----------James W. Payne
SCOTLAND----------Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.
SOUTH AUSTRALIA----------Charles B. Newcomb
SWITZERLAND (ALPINA)----------Herbert M. Foy
TASMANIA----------William H. White
URUGUAY----------Murray C. Alexander
VICTORIA----------Harrison Kauffman

DISTINGUISHED BRETHREN

We were pleased to have with us the following distinguished Brethren who were conducted by the Grand Marshal, presented by the Past Grand Master indicated, welcomed by the Acting Grand Master, accorded Grand Honors, and conducted to seats in the Grand East:

M.·.E.·.William A. Coble, Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of North Carolina; M.·.I.·. Roscoe E. Shumaker, Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of North Carolina; R.·. E.·.George R. Bennette, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of North Carolina, Knights Templar; and M.·.W.·.Thomas J. Harkins, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, and Sovereign Grand Inspector General for North Carolina of the Supreme Council, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America, all presented by M.·.W.·.Edgar W. Timberlake, Past Grand Master.

R.·.W.·.John B. Smith, Jr., Past Master of Mistletoe Lodge No. 647, F. & A. M., New York; and R.·.W.·. Walter E. Soderstrom, Past District Deputy 3 Kings, New York, and Past Master of Mistletoe Lodge No. 647, F. & A. M., New York, presented by M.·.W.·.Hubert M. Poteat, Past Grand Master.

M.·.W.·.John H. Hessey, Past Grand Master of Masons in Maryland, presented by M.·.W.·.William J. Bundy, Past Grand Master.

R.·.W.·.L. Wade Temple, Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of A. F. M. of South Carolina, presented by M.·.W.·.Julius C. Hobbs, Past Grand Master.

R.·.W.·.Rudolph R. Cooke, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of Virginia, presented by M.·.W.·.Maxwell E. Hoffman, Past Grand Master.

R.·.W.·.William E. Yeager, Grand Master of Masons in Pennsylvania, presented by M.·.W.·.Luther T. Hartsell, Jr., Past Grand Master.

RECOGNITION OF OTHERS

The Acting Grand Master presented his sons, Brothers Edward E. and Robert W. Caldwell, and several other visiting Brethren.

JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME COURT

At the request of the Acting Grand Master, the Grand Marshal conducted the following members of the Supreme Court of North Carolina to seats in the Grand East: M.·.W.·.J. Wallace Winborne, Past Grand Master; W.·.Emery B. Denny, Past Master, Grand Historian; and Brothers A. A. F. Seawell and S. J. Ervin, Jr.

REPRESENTATIVES OF LODGES PRESENT

1 St. John's (10) ..... Wilmington
Alva E. Penny, M.; Edward R. Blakeslee, S. W.; James H. Erwin, J. W.

3 St. John's (7) ..... New Bern
John B. Derrickson, M.; Harvey J. Daniels, S. W.

4 St. John's (6) ..... Kinston
Julian B. McCullen, M.; Jerry J. Quinn, S. W.; Jarvis V. Brittle, Proxy for J. W.

5 Charity (2) ..... Windsor
Russell Davis, Proxy for M.; George Rhodes, S. W.

7 Unanimity (2) ..... Edenton
Hubert Williford, M.; D. Skiles, Proxy for J. W.

8 Phoenix (14) ..... Fayetteville
C. Wallace Jackson, M.; V. E. Hollinshed, S. W.

10 Johnston-Caswell (19) ..... Warrenton
William Duke Jones, M., and Proxy for S. W.; Arthur L. Nicholson, J. W.

13 St. John's (9) ..... Kenansville
Wilbert A. Jones, M.; J. B. Stroud, S. W.; L. A. Westbrook, J. W.

17 American George (4) ..... Murfreesboro
Albert E. Hill, Proxy for M.; J. M. Forbes, Proxy for S. W.; Frank Stephenson, Proxy for J. W.

19 Eagle (21) ..... Hillsboro
Giles M. Long, M.; Carl S. Couch, S. W.; W. Ernest Bell, J. W.

27 Statesville (29) ..... Statesville
Ben L. Watts, M.; Killian D. Blankenship, S. W.; Allen P. Moore, J. W.

31 Phalanx (27) ..... Charlotte
Paul J. Potts, Proxy for M.; W. C. Leary, Proxy for J. W.

32 Stokes (25) ..... Concord
Leon Godown, Proxy for Master and Wardens.

39 Davie (2) ..... Lewiston
M. H. Savage, Proxy for M.

40 Hiram (15) ..... Raleigh
Frank A. Cella, M.; H. A. McAllister, Proxy for S. W.; Ira L. Jones, J. W.

45 Liberty (33) ..... Wilkesboro
C. W. Bullis, Proxy for M. and S. W.; F. F. Frazier, J. W.

53 Hall (1) ..... Indiantown
Celus G. Harrison, M.; Jesse C. Burgess, S. W.; W. J. Wilson, Proxy for J. W.

56 King Solomon (4) ..... Jackson
H. A. Britton, M.

58 Concord (18) ..... Tarboro
L. G. Sheffield, M.; J. H. Brown, Proxy for S. W.; W. H. Batchelor, J. W.

59 Perseverance (3) ..... Plymouth
W. A. Roebuck, M; G. R. Leggett, Proxy for S. W.; J. M. Gilbreath, Proxy for J. W.

75 Widow's Son (1) ..... Camden
M. D. Burgess, M.; Otis Forbes, S. W.; S. C. Williams, J. W.

76 Greensboro (23) ..... Greensboro
J. W. Crews, Jr., M.; R. A. Bruce, S. W.; R. B. Thorburn, J. W.

83 LaFayette (8) ..... Jacksonville
Russell F. Brendle, M.; Leon A. Justice, S. W.; Garrell B. Moser, J. W.

84 Fellowship (14) ..... Smithfield
Roy Strickland, M.; Alva E. Denton, S. W.; W. A. Hooks, J. W.

85 Morning Star (18) ..... Nashville
Jack R. Nelms, M.; Van B. Matthews, Proxy for S. W.; S. Floyd Walker, J. W.

90 Skewarkee (2) ..... Williamston
Paul Bailey, M.; W. Clyde Manning, S. W.; W. O. White, J. W.

91 Western Star (44) ..... Rutherfordton
William E. Poag, M. and Proxy for S. W.; Richard F. Lewis, J. W.

92 Joseph Warren (17) ..... Stantonsburg
Golden L. Best, M.; W. L. Shelton, Jr., Proxy for S. W.; Jesse G. Yates, J. W.

95 Jerusalem (6) ..... Hookerton
James K. Hall, M.; Virgil W. Grubbs, S. W.; Edward B. Williams, J. W.

97 Millbrook (15) ..... Millbrook
J. R. Hill, Proxy for M.; J. Frank Maddry, S. W.; J. B. Green, Proxy for J. W.

98 Hiram (9) ..... Clinton
Junius Hampton Lewis, M.; Granville L. Wallace, S. W.; Graham R. Butler, J. W.

99 Fulton (25) ..... Salisbury
George I. Parrish, M.; Mallie Gantt, Proxy for S. W.; Grady A. Drye, Proxy for J. W.

104 Orr (3) ..... Washington
Henry Carawan, Proxy for Master and Wardens.

106 Perquimans (1) ..... Hertford
Cecil C. Winslow, Proxy for M.; M. H. Umphlett, Proxy for S. W.

109 Franklin (8) ..... Beaufort
Charles L. Pake, M. and Proxy for S. W.; Earl M. Noe, J. W.

112 Wayne (6) ..... Goldsboro
Deward M. Heath, M.; Berl M. Kahn, Proxy for S. W.; C. Wesley Howell, J. W.

113 Person (20) ..... Roxboro
William B. Hicks, M.; Hulan T. Lunsford, S. W.; James W. Bolick, J. W.

114 St. Alban's (11) ..... Lumberton
E. M. Gibson, Proxy for M.; James W. Wilkerson, J. W.

115 Holly Springs (16) ..... Holly Springs
Harold Brewer, M.; Ivan C. Mimms, S. W.; Charles Cross, J. W.

117 Mount Lebanon (17) ..... Wilson
M. D. Willoughby, Proxy for M. and S. W.; Gilbert O. Simpson, Proxy for J. W.

118 Mount Hermon (39) ..... Asheville
Reuben Barnitz, Proxy for M.; Maxwell E. Hoffman, Proxy for S. W.; C. H. Gaines, Proxy for J. W.

122 Oxford (20) ..... Oxford
Ralph V. Boswood, M.; Floyd A. Cole, S. W.; A. D. Leon Gray, Proxy for J. W.

125 Mill Creek (9) ..... Newton Grove
Gordon G. Tart, M.; T. Eugene Tart, S. W.; P. Rupert Warren, J. W.

126 Gatesville (1) ..... Gatesville
Allen E. Askew, Proxy for M.; C. Earl Armstrong, S. W.

128 Hanks (24) ..... Franklinville
James A. Cheek, M.; T. J. Kivett, Proxy for S. W.; Hamby V. Phillips, J. W.

132 Radiance (6) ..... Snow Hill
D. Carlton Taylor, M.; James A. Smith, Proxy for S. W.

138 King Solomon (10) ..... Burgaw
J. J. Malpass, M.; S. W. Casey, Proxy for S. W.; J. H. Ramsey, Proxy for J. W.

145 Junaluskee (42) ..... Franklin
C. G. Moore, Proxy for M.; James L. Hauser, Proxy for S. W.; Harold E. Enloe, Proxy for J. W.

147 Palmyra (14) ..... Dunn
Henry G. Whitehead, M.; D. V. Lee, S. W.; A. A. Alabaster, J. W.

149 Adoniram (20) ..... Cornwall
R. C. Pittard, Proxy for M.; E. L. Elliott, Proxy for J. W.

151 Sanford (13) ..... Sanford
C. B. Foushee, M.; G. Mack Brannon, Jr., S. W.; H. V. Fenstamacher, J. W.

155 White Stone (15) ..... Wakefield
Wiley G. Broughton, M.; Bendon Eddins, Proxy for S. W.; H. H. Eddins, Proxy for J. W.

158 Knap of Reeds (21) ..... Bahama
H. Bernice Wilkins, M.; Alfred L. Mangum, J. W.

162 Yadkin (30) ..... Yadkinville
William K. Hayes, M.; Floyd R. Hayes, Proxy for S. W.; Sherman J. Spainhour, Proxy for J. W.

165 Archer (15) ..... Clayton, R.F.D.
E. J. Corbett, Sr., Proxy for M.; L. J. Davis, Proxy for S. W.; J. H. Congleton, J. W.

167 Winston (30) ..... Winston-Salem
Musser L. Colley, M.; Flake E. Montgomery, S. W.

170 Blackmer (39) ..... Weaverville
S. S. Chandley, Proxy for M.; J. C. Wright, Proxy for S. W.; Raymond Garrison, Proxy for J. W.

171 Colerain (2) ..... Colerain
William E. White, M.

172 Buffalo (13) ..... Sanford
P. K. Winstead, M.; R. A. Watson, Jr., S. W.; C. S. Bullock, Proxy for J. W.

174 George Washington (16) ..... Apex, Rt. 1
L. J. Bryan, Proxy for M.; Raymond L. Bryan, Proxy for J. W.

181 Carthage (13) ..... Carthage
E. S. Adams, Sr., Proxy for M.

188 Balfour (24) ..... Asheboro
Howard T. Craven, Proxy for M.; Keith Hodgin, S. W.; H. C. Reaves, J. W.

191 Granite (15) ..... Clayton
D. H. McCullers, S. W.; P. A. Williams, Jr., J. W.

198 Cary (16) ..... Cary
H. G. Edwards, M.; C. R. Stancil, Proxy for S. W.; F. E. Godbold, J. W.

202 Cleveland (37) ..... Shelby
Wesley O. Lee, S. W. and Proxy for M.; Joseph Brady Kistler, J. W.

206 Mingo (9) ..... Dunn, RFD
Warren Jackson, Proxy for M.

207 Lebanon (10) ..... Whiteville
John C. Anderson, M.; Garland E. Weaver, S. W.; J. Earl Robbins, J. W.

210 Eno (21) ..... Durham
J. C. Jester, M.; J. F. Woodall, S. W.; C. W. Glosson, J. W.

214 Thomasville (22) ..... Thomasville
J. Elmer Hill, Proxy for M.; Wayne Surratt, S. W.

217 Catawba Valley (36) ..... Morganton
Joe B. Leonard, M.; George D. Clark, S. W.

218 William G. Hill (15) ..... Raleigh
Joseph J. Crowder, M.; E. Gail Barker, S. W.; Lloyd D. Hardy, J. W.

226 Wilson (29) ..... Olin
Clarence E. Madison, M.; T. W. Weaver, Proxy for S. W.

229 Henderson (19) ..... Henderson
T. W. Parham, M.; J. A. Hall, S. W.; J. H. Zollicoffer, J. W.

230 Corinthian (18) ..... Rocky Mount
Dan Pitt, Proxy for M. and S. W.; S. T. Gupton, Proxy for J. W.

231 William T. Bain (16) ..... Raleigh, Rt. 3
James R. Collier, M.; M. E. Harmon, Proxy for S. W.; N. F. Turner, Proxy for J. W.

237 Mystic Tie (44) ..... Marion
Alex Smith, M., and Proxy for J. W.; Carl Poteat, S. W.

240 Wiccacon (2) ..... Harrellsville
L. M. Askew, M.

243 Grifton (5) ..... Grifton
Joseph M. Hart, M.

248 Catawba (36) ..... Newton
Clarence E. Hood, Proxy for M.; G. Cecil Hartsoe, S. W.; John H. P. Cilley, III, J. W.

249 Pythagoras (10) ..... Southport
Miles S. White, Proxy for M. and J. W.; Thomas Tyler, Proxy for S. W.

258 Fuquay (16) ..... Fuquay Springs
Cyrus M. Matthews, M.; William B. Kessler, S. W.; Thomas J. Bridges, J. W.

259 Waynesville (41) ..... Waynesville
Walter F. Sprinkle, M., and Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

261 Excelsior (27) ..... Charlotte
Ralph E. Cashion, M.; James G. Bolton, S. W.; W. Reid Hudson, J. W.

262 Hibriten (36) ..... Lenoir
T. Glen Miller, Jr., M.; C. O. Huntley, Proxy for S. W.; R. R. Triplett, J. W.

267 Dunn's Rock (38) ..... Brevard
D. H. Winchester, Sr., M., and Proxy for J. W.; T. Ralph Parrish, S. W.

271 Tobasco (23) ..... Gibsonville
Dwight J. Shoffner, M., and Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

276 Beaver Dam (26) ..... Marshville
P. E. Greene, M.; J. A. Russell, Proxy for S. W.

279 Rehoboth (9) ..... Rosehill
Robert C. Alderman, S. W., and Proxy for M.; Hubert E. Tucker, J. W.

282 Wake Forest (15) ..... Wake Forest
H. L. Miller, M.; H. M. Parker, Proxy for S. W.; B. J. Powell, J. W.

283 Eureka (25) ..... China Grove
Homer B. Overcash, Proxy for M.; Marvin Menius, Proxy for S. W.; Price E. Stirewalt, J. W.

284 Greenville (5) ..... Greenville
Rufus H. Harrell, M.; Walter G. Garner, S. W.; J. Ed Ricks, Proxy for J. W.

289 Salem (30) ..... Winston-Salem
Gaither C. Lewis, M.; Robert W. Woosley, S. W.; Chas. J. Calaway, J. W.

292 French Broad (39) ..... Marshall
Wade Huey, M., and Proxy for J. W.; Charlie Ingle, Proxy for S. W.

296 Stonewall (5) ..... Robersonville
A. M. Hasty, M.; Lester Scott, Proxy for S. W.; W. D. Sanford, Proxy for J. W.

299 Harmony (29) ..... Harmony
A. G. Kimball, Proxy for M.; Cloude Burgess, Proxy for S. W.; W. Green Myers, Proxy for J. W.

300 Aurora (3) ..... Aurora
E. H. Bennett, Proxy for M.; A. K. Walker, Proxy for S. W.

302 Lillington (14) ..... Lillington
K. G. Mace, M.; John A. Womble, Proxy for S. W.; C. A. Brown, J. W.

304 Pleasant Hill (6) ..... Pink Hill
Earl Howard, M.; Isaac Stroud, S. W.; Harold Hardison, J. W.

306 Raeford (12) ..... Raeford
Jessie N. Gulledge, M.; J. L. Teel, Proxy for S. W.

314 New Lebanon (1) ..... South Mills
Herbert T. Mullen, M.; J. K. Rhodes, J. W.

317 Eureka (1) ..... Elizabeth City
Francis W. Clark, M.; Alton P. Belangia, S. W.; R. M. Wynne, Proxy for J. W.

319 Wilmington (10) ..... Wilmington
Haywood S. King, M.; W. R. Hadley, Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

322 Granite (31) ..... Mount Airy
Sam A. Hennis, Jr., M.; P. D. Webster, Proxy for S W.; Carl M. Baber, J. W.

339 Fairview (37) ..... Kings Mountain
Arnold W. Kincaid, M.; Jacob C. Keller, Proxy for S. W.; Batie M. Ormand, Proxy for J. W.

343 Hickory (36) ..... Hickory
John R. Shreves, J. W., and Proxy for M.; John W. Terrell, Proxy for S. W.

344 Numa F. Reid (22) ..... High Point
Ernest L. Hollingsworth, M.; Shelly C. York, Sr., S. W.; Arnold J. Koonce, Sr., J. W.

348 Stanly (25) ..... Albemarle
J. R. Haynsworth, S. W., and Proxy for M.; T. Lloyd Traywick, J. W.

352 Durham (21) ..... Durham
Avery G. Sugg, M.; Marvin H. Dawson, S. W.; Sterling H. Harris, J. W.

356 Fallston (37) ..... Fallston
Dixon Stroup, M.; Flay Scism, J. W.

357 Bakersville (40) ..... Bakersville
James W. Berry, Proxy for M.; John W. Ellis, Proxy for J. W.

363 Snow (40) ..... Boone
J. T. C. Wright, Proxy for Officers.

369 Gastonia (28) ..... Gastonia
Albert R. Rankin, M.; Marcus S. McCluney, S. W.; Frank C. Gettys, J. W.

380 Granville (20) ..... Wake Forest, R3
Elwood Davis, Jr., Proxy for Officers.

381 Forest City (44) ..... Forest City
Charles E. Griffin, M.; Clarence L. Bridges, J. W.

384 Reidsville (23) ..... Reidsville
I. R. Williams, M.; F. B. Fleagle, S. W.; Leonard Godwin, Proxy for J. W.

386 Pigeon River (41) ..... Canton
Joseph Powell, Proxy for Officers.

387 Kedron (38) ..... Hendersonville
D. B. Hart, Proxy for Officers.

388 Mooresboro (37) ..... Mooresboro
P. M. Coley, M.; Thomas C. Holland, Proxy for S. W.; D. C. Wright, Proxy for J. W.

390 Copeland (31) ..... Copeland
M. Wilson Nesbitt, M.; K. W. Lawrence, S. W.; T. C. Alberty, Proxy for J. W.

395 Orient (10) ..... Wilmington
Sam L. Houston, M.; Kenneth W. Taylor, S. W.; Sterling S. Shue, J. W.

403 Siler City (13) ..... Siler City
C. E. Parks, M.; F. H. Grimes, S. W.; Roy A. Edwards, J. W.

404 Denton (22) ..... Denton
J. E. Wilkins, Sr., M.; Lee Surratt, Proxy for S. W.; W. H. Carter, Proxy for J. W.

405 Ocean (8) ..... Morehead City
Cecil W. Sewell, M.; J. Morton Davis, S. W.; James B. Willis, J. W.

407 North Wilkesboro (33) ..... North Wilkesboro
Cox A. Blevens, M., and Proxy for S. W.; W. R. Harmon, J. W.

408 University (21) ..... Chapel Hill
Glenn T. Proffit, M.; Henry P. Leighton, S. W.; Ashwell B. Harward, J. W.

409 Bula (21) ..... Burlington
William N. Stansell, Proxy for Officers.

411 Bailey (17) ..... Bailey
George W. Brantley, M.

412 Henry F. Grainger (20) ..... Oxford, Rt. 3
O. L. Harrison, Proxy for M.

413 Louisburg (19) ..... Louisburg
Henry F. Marshall, M., and Proxy for J. W.; John Godfrey, S. W.

417 Maxton (11) ..... Maxton
Luther T. English, M.; Roderick F. Morris, S. W.; Robert W. Fisher, J. W.

423 Sparta (34) ..... Sparta
E. J. Pugh, Proxy for Officers.

426 Montgomery (43) ..... Ranger
Vincent D. Elster, J. W., and Proxy for M. and S. W.

428 Stokesdale (23) ..... Stokesdale
C. W. McCoy, M.; P. P. Simpson, Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

429 Sea Side (8) ..... Swansboro
Herbert C. Riggs, M.; Stanley G. Morris, S. W.; L. D. Cardwell, Proxy for J. W.

434 West Bend (30) ..... Lewisville
S. C. Woosley, J. W.

435 Blue Ridge (42) ..... Highlands
M. S. Thompson, Proxy for Officers.

437 Biscoe (24) ..... Biscoe
Walter L. Grimsley, Proxy for Officers.

444 Marietta (24) ..... Ramseur
W. Richard Maner, Proxy for M.; Sybrant H. Pell, S. W.; W. Mike York, J. W.

446 Biltmore (39) ..... Asheville
Jerome Silverman, Proxy for Officers.

447 Enfield (4-A) ..... Enfield
Clarence P. Haskins, M.; J. Lucius Whitley, S. W.; T. M. Cooper, Proxy for J. W.

454 Elkin (31) ..... Elkin
Fred O. Eidson, M.; Henry C. Bowman, S. W.; Cortez Lowery, Proxy for J. W.

461 Matthews (27) ..... Matthews
J. W. Russell, Proxy for M.; H. G. Broome, Jr., S. W.; J. B. Bass, Jr., J. W.

462 South Fork (28) ..... Cramerton
John B. Turner, Jr., M.; Zeb V. Brendle, Jr., Proxy for S. W.; Addison G. McKeown, Proxy for J. W.

463 Currituck (1) ..... Coinjock
Tilman S. Merrell, M., and Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

473 Lexington (22) ..... Lexington
James Z. Greer, M.; Ulus A. Hunt, S. W.; Woodrow B. Ingram, J. W.

474 St. Pauls (11) ..... St. Pauls
Jesse L. Welsh, M.; Norman E. Drum, S. W.; Charles F. Caudell, Jr., J. W.

482 Saluda (38) ..... Saluda
Fred L. Akin, S. W., and Proxy for M. and J. W.

483 Traphill (33) ..... Traphill
Kermit R. Pruitte, M., and Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

484 Southern Pines (12) ..... Southern Pines
L. L. Woolley, Proxy for Officers.

486 Lawndale (37) ..... Lawndale
Fred L. Richards, Proxy for Officers.

488 Rich Square (4) ..... Rich Square
Vigle E. Boomer, M.; Roy T. Joyner, Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

491 Hominy (39) ..... Candler
F. G. Cabe, Proxy for Officers.

492 Thomas M. Holt (21) ..... Graham
J. S. Cook, Proxy for Officers.

496 Mooresville (29) ..... Mooresville
Cecil F. Howie, M., and Proxy for S. W.; Robert M. Varner, Proxy for J. W.

497 Royal Hart (4-A) ..... Littleton
George W. Alston, M.; Marvin Newsom, S. W.; H. C. Morris, J. W.

498 Ayden (5) ..... Ayden
Wayland D. McGlohon, S. W., and Proxy for M.; Carroll Humbles, Proxy for J. W.

499 Creedmoor (20) ..... Creedmoor
Ralph T. Nevils, M.; Arthur A. Bowles, Proxy for S. W.; L. P. Kirkland, Proxy for J. W.

500 Raleigh (15) ..... Raleigh
Howard W. Shelden, M.; J. Hardy Lanier, Proxy for S. W.; R. A. Lineberry, Proxy for J. W.

501 Red Springs (11) ..... Red Springs
Horace D. Jenkins, M.; W. C. McIlwain, Proxy for S. W.; N. A. Smith, Proxy for J. W.

505 Cherryville (28) ..... Cherryville
Alfonso B. Beam, M., and Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

517 Farmville (5) ..... Farmville
Sam D. Bundy, M., and Proxy for S. W. and J. W.

520 Fairfield (3) ..... Fairfield
C. M. Swindell, M.; A. B. Harris, Proxy for S. W.; Guy R. Cutrell, Proxy for J. W.

524 Pendleton (4) ..... Pendleton
J. F. Martin, Proxy for M.; P. C. Martin, Proxy for S. W.; John D. Martin, Proxy for J. W.

525 Rodgers (17) ..... Middlesex
Bernice E. Strickland, M.

527 Lucama (17) ..... Lucama
George H. Glover, M.; Joseph T. Bridgers, S. W.; Paul A. Bailey, J. W.

528 Fairmont (11) ..... Fairmont
John B. Clark, M.; Harry B. Prevatte, S. W.; Charlie R. Atkinson, Jr., J. W.

529 Andrews (43) ..... Andrews
Olen H. Barton, M.; Lofton West, Proxy for S. W.; R. B. Hamilton, Proxy for J. W.

530 Joppa (27) ..... Charlotte
N. S. Fisher, M.; A. C. Moore, Jr., S. W.; Shirley C. Brock, Proxy for J. W.

532 Hamlet (12) ..... Hamlet
A. L. Kendall, M.; J. D. Patterson, Jr., Proxy for S. W.; C. M Bentley, J. W.

534 Camp Call (37) ..... Shelby, Rt. 5
G. A. Green, Proxy for M.; Max Green, Proxy for S. W.

535 Hollis (44) ..... Hollis
Clay Blanton, Proxy for Officers.

538 Williams (27) ..... Cornelius
Frank B. Washam, M.; Robert T. Hoyle, Proxy for S. W.

542 Corinthian (23) ..... Greensboro
B. D. Davidson, M.; J. L. Talley, S. W.; Wm. Y. Farrell, J. W.

543 Spencer (25) ..... Spencer
H. L. Waller, Jr., M.; R. L. Harrison, S. W.; Jack Upton, J. W.

544 Mount Holly (28) ..... Mount Holly
R. E. Rhyne, M.

550 Roman Eagle (12) ..... Aberdeen
H. L. Marks, M.; L. K. Smith, S. W.; R. M. Hooper, Proxy for J. W.

552 Revolution (23) ..... Greensboro
L. M. Thorne, M.; J. T. Brewer, S. W.; R. B. Skenes, J. W.

554 Vesper (40) ..... Spruce Pine
Taylor M. Puckett, Proxy for M.; George Bartlette, Proxy for S. W.; David L. Pendley, Sr., Proxy for J. W.

555 Elise (13) ..... Robbins
Ralph G. Steed, Proxy for Officers.

556 Neil S. Stewart (14) ..... Erwin
A. A. Jackson, M.; Ernest O. Davis, S. W.; C. W. Crawford, J. W.

558 Ararat (31) ..... Ararat
Ernest E. Inman, Proxy for M. and S. W.; Coy L. Armstrong, J. W.

564 Richlands (8) ..... Richlands
O. T. Marshburn, M., and Proxy for S. W.; D. D. Whaley, Proxy for J. W.

565 Wendell (15) ..... Wendell
P. C. Stott, Proxy for M.

568 Doric (7) ..... New Bern
Henry F. Hill, M.; Ethridge H. Ricks, S. W.; William H. Scott, J. W.

571 Snow Creek (29) ..... Statesville, Rt. 5
T. Ward Guy, Proxy for M.; R. L. Guy, Proxy for J. W.

573 Mount Pleasant (33) ..... Champion
Henry C. Whittington, M.; Genio Walsh, Proxy for S. W.; J. Vernon Foster, J. W.

576 Andrew Jackson (25) ..... Salisbury
J. L. Harrington, M.; W. G. Houck, S. W.

578 Meadow Branch (26) ..... Wingate
Joe G. Chaney, Proxy for Officers.

579 Casar (37) ..... Casar
Grady C. Martin, M.; Julius R. Price, Proxy for S. W.; J. H. Lindsay, J. W.

583 Ionic (7) ..... Cove City
Robert A. Avery, M.; John W. Corbitt, Proxy for S. W.; W. Ray Newell, J. W.

584 Apex (16) ..... Apex
Ralph H. Martin, M.; George T. Rogers, Proxy for S. W.; Charlie E. Stephens, Proxy for J. W.

585 Roseboro (9) ..... Roseboro
R. Paul Blevins, M.; J. E. Wilson, Proxy for S. W.; M. T. Owen, Sr., Proxy for J. W.

589 Bethel (5) ..... Bethel
W. R. Hunniecutt, Proxy for M.; B. F. Manning, Jr., S. W.; James O. Warren, Jr., J. W.

592 Maiden (36) ..... Maiden
Richard A. Heffner, M.

593 Stony Point (29) ..... Stony Point
Joseph L. Crawford, J. W., and Proxy for M.; Hugh Hines, Proxy for S. W.

595 Wallace (9) ..... Wallace
M. C. Harvell, M.; J. Luther Powell, Proxy for S. W.; Geo. O. Powell, J. W.

596 Waccamaw (10) ..... Bolton
J. K. Nicholson, S. W., and Proxy for M.; J. F. Wilson, Proxy for J. W.

602 Queen City (18) ..... Rocky Mount
M. L. Baker, Proxy for Officers.

613 Home (6) ..... Fremont
Thomas D. Mosely, M.; William L. Whitley, Proxy for S. W.; Russell L. Davis, J. W.

616 Round Peak (31) ..... Mount Airy, Rt. 3
N. A. Lowe, Proxy for M.; Geo. B. Beamer, S. W.

626 Cannon Memorial (25) ..... Kannapolis
J. M. Koontz, Proxy for M.; A. O. Slowson, Proxy for S. W.; W. A. Hartis, J. W.

630 Francis S. Packard (19) ..... Norlina
Kenneth C. Severance, M.; Elmer B. Davis, Proxy for S. W.; James B. Lewis, Proxy for J. W.

634 Goldsboro (6) ..... Goldsboro
Stedman F. Dalls, M., and Proxy for J. W.; H. H. Alexander, Proxy for S. W.

637 Yadkin Falls (25) ..... Badin
Rev. D. K. Snyder, M.; Earl T. Beck, S. W.; J. Mack Ingram, J. W.

646 Bladen (11) ..... Elizabethtown
William W. Woodhouse, M.

650 John A. Nichols (39) ..... Asheville
Harvey McDaris, M., and Proxy for J. W.; Scott S. Fay, Proxy for S. W.

654 Elberta (12) ..... West End
Thadeus J. Fletcher, M.; Ralph L. Cox, S. W.; John R. McInnis, J. W.

656 Guilford (23) ..... Greensboro
William B. Sparkes, M.; John U. Underwood, S. W.; Francis O. Gibbs, J. W.

657 Keller Memorial (25) ..... Rockwell
R. W. Brown, M.; C. L. Rhinehart, Proxy for S. W.; J. E. Drury, Proxy for J. W.

664 Garland (9) ..... Garland
John D. Dyson, M.

665 West Asheville (39) ..... Asheville
Wallace E. Cowan, Proxy for Officers.

666 N. C. Lodge of Research (26) ..... Monroe
Leon Godown, S. W.; Millard F. McKeel, J. W.

667 Fort Bragg (14) ..... Fort Bragg
Rester E. Ruppe, Proxy for M.; Carl L. Sharp, S. W.; Steve Neweth, J. W.

668 Holland Memorial (28) ..... Gastonia
James T. White, M., and Proxy for S. W.; W. C. Cravner, Proxy for J. W.

669 Kernersville (30) ..... Kernersville
Lee J. Marshall, M.; George J. West, S. W.; Reginald L. Whitaker, J. W.

670 Lovelady (36) ..... Valdese
Edward Pascal, M.; Carl Haigler, S. W.; Fredrick Ribet, Proxy for J. W.

672 Robbinsville (43) ..... Robbinsville
James K. Hooper, Proxy for Officers.

673 Spindale (44) ..... Spindale
Joe R. Daniel, M.; J. E. McDougall, S. W.; Henry Shehan, J. W.

674 Acacia (22) ..... High Point
Mason E. Brown, Proxy for M.; Geo. D. Davis, S. W.; J. D. McCrery, J. W.

675 Washington (3) ..... Washington
Ray E. Phillips, Proxy for Officers.

676 Temple (27) ..... Charlotte
Graham P. Kerr, Proxy for M.; Jasper L. Simpson, Proxy for S. W.; Charles B. Small, J. W.

677 Warsaw (9) ..... Warsaw
Benjamin F. Hobbs, Sr., M.; Henry C. Merritt, S. W.; Samuel A. Jones, J. W.

678 Providence (3) ..... Columbia
J. W. Alford, Proxy for Officers.

679 Creasy Proctor (14) ..... Fayetteville
James R. Luther, M.; Van Autry, Sr., Proxy for S. W.; T. O. Rhodes, Proxy for J. W.

680 Semper Fidelis (8) ..... Midway Park
Eduston W. Williams, M.; Robert L. Marion, S. W.; Floyd O. Schilling, J. W.

681 Piedmont (22) ..... High Point
Robert L. Hubbard, Jr., M.; J. C. Roberts, S. W.; Bland W. Worley, J. W.

682 Manteo (1) ..... Manteo
Raymond E. White, Proxy for Officers.

683 Rolesville (15) ..... Rolesville
Ludwell T. Barham, M.; Billie E. Rogers, J. W.

684 Ahoskie (2) ..... Ahoskie
Wallace T. Gray, M.

685 Pioneer (30) ..... Winston-Salem
Norris E. Burrington, M., and Proxy for Wardens.

U.D. Fellowship (21) ..... Durham
Cabell B. Jones, M.; Harry L. White, S. W.; William H. Elder, J. W.

U.D. Cherry Point (7) ..... Havelock
Stacy T. Lupton, M.; Albert A. Saleeby, S. W.; James A. Smith, J. W.

THE REPORT OF THE ACTING GRAND MASTER

(Docket No. 1)

Brethren:

It now becomes my duty to report to you on the state of the craft in the Grand Lodge of North Carolina and to make such recommendations as may seem proper.

GRAND MASTER HORTON

It is my sad task first to make official report of the great loss which the Grand Lodge suffered in the passing of Most Worshipful Wilkins Perryman Horton, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina. Grand Master Horton went to the hospital shortly after the session of the Grand Lodge last May. He underwent a serious operation. After his release from the hospital he encouraged us all by the extent of his recovery. He was able to hold court and attend to Masonic duties. In the late fall, however, he collapsed. At 2:27, a. m., February 2, he was called to membership in the celestial lodge above.

He had looked forward to serving the Grand Lodge and his incapacity was a bitter disappointment to him. He was a very fine man, a great speaker, and an able administrator. Those who knew him loved and respected him. It is a great tragedy that the Grand Lodge was deprived of his leadership and that the brethren at large did not have the opportunity to know him. A suitable memorial will be presented at the proper time by Past Grand Master Eldridge and Brother Daniel L. Bell.

NECROLOGY

In addition to our Grand Master, the Grand Lodge suffered the loss of our dearly beloved Past Grand Master Clyde H. Jarrett, who died November 1, 1949. Past Grand Master Watson N. Sherrod and District Deputy Grand Master Guy Houk will present his memorial.

Most Worshipful Elmer E. Beach, Past Grand Master of Illinois and Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina near the Grand Lodge of Illinois, died on March 18, 1950.

All three of these brethren were buried with full Masonic honors by the Grand Lodge, meeting in emergent communications.

Many other brethren have ended their earthly labors, among them W.˙.J. Rufus McCracken of Waynesville, last year recipient of the Joseph Montfort Medal, and Howard Etheridge of Asheville, both distinguished for their Masonic services. We mourn the passing of our brethren. The Necrology Committee will present its report on them. Let us rise and stand a moment in silence in their memory as a token of our grief.

ACTS OF GRAND MASTER HORTON

Grand Master Horton called a meeting of the District Deputies in Raleigh on July 25. It was attended by thirty-three of the forty-three District Deputies. At this meeting the Grand Master presented his program, stressing proficiency in the work, the study of the Code, and Masonic education. He announced the contest for the Grand Master's Award. A second meeting was held at Hickory on August 22, which the Grand Master was unable to attend. All but two of the District Deputies were personally briefed on the program.

The Grand Master, on receipt of the resignation of Most Worshipful Edgar W. Timberlake, Past Grand Master, as Judge Advocate, appointed W.˙.G. Dudley Humphrey to that position July 12, 1949.

He issued eight dispensations to lodges to hold elections to replace officers, who had resigned or died.

He granted permission to Clyde Lodge No. 453 and Hiram Lodge No. 40 to reballot on petitions on the showing that the first ballot had been illegally taken.

He issued a dispensation to Waynesville Lodge No. 259 to hold a meeting in the Armory at Waynesville on July 18.

He gave an official opinion setting the dues of the four lodges in Greensboro at $50.00. Appeal was taken from this decision by Revolution Lodge No. 552.

He issued a dispensation to institute Angier Lodge, U. D., of Angier, North Carolina. This lodge was instituted on August 18 by W.˙.Thomas F. Womble, District Deputy Grand Master, 16th District, the Grand Secretary present and assisting.

He issued a dispensation to institute Fellowship Lodge, U. D., of Durham, North Carolina. Acting for him I instituted this lodge on December 9, 1949.

On his motion the Grand Lodge of North Carolina contributed $1,000.00 through the Masonic Service Association, to the relief of the victims of the earthquake in Ecuador.

CORNERSTONES

Acting for the Grand Master who called emergent communications of the Grand Lodge— I laid the cornerstone of the Masonic Temple, for Spencer Lodge No. 543, at Spencer, North Carolina, on May 10, and of the gymnasium at Elon College.

NEW LODGES

Acting for the Grand Master I constituted and installed the officers of Rolesville Lodge No. 683 of Rolesville on June 2 and of Pioneer Lodge No. 685 of Winston-Salem on June 8. In both of these I was assisted by the Grand Secretary.

Most Worshipful Watson N. Sherrod, assisted by the Grand Secretary, constituted and installed the officers of Ahoskie Lodge No. 684 of Ahoskie on June 7.

LODGES UNDER DISPENSATION

As Acting Grand Master at the request of the Grand Master who was then incapacitated, I issued a dispensation to Cherry Point Lodge U. D. of Havelock. This lodge was instituted by Most Worshipful William J. Bundy, Past Grand Master, assisted by W.˙.Robert L. Pugh, Junior Grand Deacon, W.˙.Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., District Deputy Grand Master, and W.˙.G. A. Farrow.

I recommend that the three lodges under dispensation, Angier, Fellowship and Cherry Point receive their

charters subject to the approval of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations.

DISPENSATIONS GRANTED

As Acting Grand Master I have granted ten dispensations to hold elections for officers resigned or deceased. I wrote several letters calling the attention of lodges to the fact that a dispensation is not necessary to elect a Secretary or Treasurer.

I granted a dispensation to Pioneer Lodge No. 685 to ballot on the petition of a profane, once a member of a clandestine lodge. When it was called to my attention that I had failed to abide by the Code in not requiring a letter of renunciation to the clandestine lodge I saw to it that the mistake was rectified before the petition was balloted upon.

I granted a dispensation to Laurinburg No. 305 to meet in Gibson until the meeting of the Grand Lodge. Their lodge hall had been condemned as unsafe. W.·.L. L. Woolley, District Deputy Grand Master, investigated at my request and reported that this meeting place was satisfactory.

I granted a dispensation to Spencer No. 543 to meet in the basement of their new lodge hall until the building could be completed on condition that the meeting place was properly tiled. This is a much better place than the store building in which the lodge has been meeting.

I granted a dispensation to Waccamaw Lodge No. 596 to reballot on a petition for affiliation, the previous ballot having been illegally taken.

I refused a dispensation to Kedron No. 387 to reballot on a petition because I could find nothing illegal about the ballot.

PHYSICAL DISABILITIES

I granted permission to Mooresville No. 496 to ballot on a profane whose disability was adequately remedied by artificial means.

I issued an unoffical opinion to a brother explaining that the law forbade a dispensation when defects had not been remedied.

OFFICIAL OPINIONS

I affirmed the decision of the chairman of the Committee on By-Laws in the case of Fort Bragg No. 667.

VISITATIONS

I made such visits to lodges and district meetings as my schedule and other obligations allowed. Everywhere I was most cordially received. It is a great privilege to meet the Masons throughout the state. I hope to have the opportunity of meeting many more.

At the request of the Grand Master I represented the Grand Lodge of North Carolina at the sessions of the Grand Lodges of Maryland and Pennsylvania.

On August 23 last, by invitation of the Grand Master of Masons in New York, I had the pleasure of attending a meeting of La Universal Lodge (a Spanish-speaking lodge in New York City), held to receive a visit from the Grand Master of Cuba. It was a most delightful experience.

At my request R.˙.W.˙.Herbert M. Foy, Senior Grand Warden, represented the Grand Lodge at the sessions of the Grand Lodges of Tennessee and of Virginia and W.˙. E. T. Howard, Senior Grand Deacon, the Grand Lodge of South Carolina.

GRAND MASTERS' CONFERENCE

It was my great privilege to attend the Grand Masters' Conference in Washington as Acting Grand Master. This was an inspiring occasion. All forty-nine jurisdictions in the United States were represented along with five provinces of Canada, Mexico, Cuba and Chile. The burden of the addresses was essentially that our task is to make our candidates better Masons and to live in such a manner as to increase the task of Masonry.

GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

This meeting was held at the Memorial following a breakfast at the hotel which was honored by the presence of Most Worshipful Harry S. Truman, Past Grand Master of Masons in Missouri and President of the United States. In the afternoon at an impressive gathering presided over by Grand Master Flowers of Virginia, the colossal statue of George Washington, the Mason, was unveiled. The statue was the gift of the Order of DeMolay. It is a superb piece of work, of great interest to Masons. President Truman delivered the address. I urge all of you who can to visit this splendid memorial.

MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION

M.˙.W.˙.M. E. Hoffman, Past Grand Master, at my request in the absence of M.˙.W.˙.Thomas J. Harkins, represented the Grand Lodge at this meeting which I also attended. After an interesting program in which the work of the Association was described, it was pointed out that more funds are needed for the continuance of the Veteran's Hospital Visitation service. I recommend that the Grand Lodge increase its appropriation to such extent as the Finance Committee may deem wise and call the attention of this worthy cause to such brethren as may desire to contribute.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVE

During the illness of the Grand Master I appointed W.˙.Myron E. Bean of Forsyth, Montana, Grand Representative of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina near the Grand Lodge of Montana.

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS AND GRAND LECTURER

This board has served the Grand Lodge well in making available corrections and additions to the *Official Standard of the Work* and in dealing with the problems which arise. The Grand Lecturer, W.˙.Fred C. Kinzie, is to be particularly commended for his loyal and effective service to the craft. The increase in the number of Certified Lecturers and Instructors is most gratifying. It

is planned to hold examinations in various parts of the State during the summer. I urge as many of the brethren as can to take advantage of this opportunity. The reports of the District Deputies indicate that an overwhelming majority of the lodges are able to exemplify the work in a creditable manner. We must strive for 100% in this respect. To aid in this I recommend that the Grand Lecturer appoint a District Deputy Grand Lecturer in each district. He will assist the District Deputy Grand Master in holding Schools of Instruction, provide Certified Lecturers to lodges in need of lecturing, encourage and assist in the number of Certified Lecturers and aid in the general work of Masonic Education. I recommend that his expenses be paid on the same basis as those of the District Deputies.

The Committee on the Revision of Masonic Ceremonies is ready with its report. It has done a splendid job. I urge that careful consideration be given to their report.

COMMITTEE ON QUARTERS FOR THE GRAND LODGE

The Special Committee on Grand Lodge Quarters or Building has given careful study to this difficult problem on which they will report. I recommend that a committee be appointed with power to act on this matter.

NEW APRONS

The official aprons of the Grand Lodge are old and in sorry state. I recommend that new aprons be purchased. And further that each Grand Lodge officer take possession of and be responsible for his proper apron so that when he appears as a Grand Lodge officer he may be properly clothed. The older aprons may be kept in reserve for emergent communications of the Grand Lodge.

VETERAN'S BUTTONS

The fifty year buttons are a beautiful award for long years of service. I recommend that the Board of General Purposes take under advisement the proposal to provide suitable buttons for the twenty-five year

award and if they approve, such buttons be awarded along with the certificate.

AMENDMENT TO THE CODE

I feel very strongly that all candidates for initiation should receive some instruction prior to their initiation. The Board of Custodians is preparing a pamphlet for this purpose. I recommend that it be used in every lodge. To make it more effective, I recommend the following amendment to the Code:

> BE IT RESOLVED: That Regulation 79-30 be amended by adding a sub-section thereto to make the Regulation as amended read as follows:
> REG. 79-30. No candidate shall receive more than one degree on the same day.
> 1. No candidate shall receive the Degree of Entered Apprentice on the same day or at the same communication at which he is elected, nor within twelve hours after his election.

NEWLY MADE MASTER MASONS

I urge every lodge to see to it that at the conclusion of the Master Mason's degree and/or at subsequent communications newly-made Master Masons be instructed in Masonic protocol and in the basic principles of Masonic Law.

GRAND MASTER'S AWARD

This contest sponsored by Grand Master Horton was late in its inception and apparently was not clearly understood by all the craft. The returns have nevertheless been gratifying. About 160 lodges have sent me their reports. Well over 100 of these have reported discussions of the Code and nearly 100 have reported adoption of the Lodge System of Masonic Education. A beautiful award has been prepared and will be presented to the winning District and Lodge. I recommend that this contest be continued and that efforts be made to increase the number of lodges participating. It is essential that proficiency in the work become universal and that our brethren be acquainted with the Code of Masonic Law. I urge particularly the use of the Lodge System of Masonic Education.

In smaller lodges where the full system cannot be adopted I urge that the pamphlet be placed in the hands of an experienced brother or of the official coach who can then present to candidates the essential ideas contained in the lectures. We must make our candidates into better Masons.

MASONIC PRESTIGE

The reputation of the fraternity is in the hands of its members. "To preserve the reputation of the fraternity unsullied must be your constant care." We cannot and will not tolerate behavior on the part of members of our lodges which is in violation of Masonic law and which bring the whole fraternity into public disrepute.

OXFORD ORPHANAGE

I am happy to report that this institution is flourishing and a great credit to the craft. Its finances are in excellent shape, its discipline never better and its program very effective. Last year Grand Master Hoffman recommended the closing of the Walker Cottage. This proved to be impossible at the time. Conditions are such however that it must now be closed. Another cottage must be built to take its place and a committee is at work on plans. Brother Husman has proposed that it be built out of funds contributed by Masters and Past Masters and that it be called the Master's Cottage. This has not received sufficient support. I urge every Master to make such contribution as he can afford and to ask the Past Masters of his lodge to do likewise, that this dream of Brother Husman may become a reality. Contributions should be sent to Dr. Husman or to the Orphanage and plainly labeled, and it should be done promptly.

MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

This other pride of our craft has never been in better condition. The new hospital is a magnificent structure, beautifully and scientifically equipped. Because of an increase in costs the Board of Directors has asked an increase of 12% in their appropriation. I urge careful consideration of this request upon the Finance Committee and the Grand Lodge.

STATE OF THE CRAFT

All reports indicate that the craft in general is in flourishing condition in this Grand Jurisdiction. On December 31, 1949, there were 324 chartered lodges and three acting under dispensation. I am informed that another group is preparing to ask for a dispensation after the meeting of the Grand Lodge. The total number of Masons on that date was 48,473. All lodges have now filed their returns and the amounts due the Grand Lodge are infinitesimal. The number of petitions during the past year showed a decrease of 876, about 25% from those of 1948. This was to be expected and is not to be regarded as an unhealthy sign. We should strive for quality rather than quantity. The District Deputies report, as already noted, that most of the lodges can put on the degrees creditably. They also report increased activity in the improvement of lodge property or meeting places and in buildings or plans for buildings. I urge the lodges to make full use of the valuable and free services of the Lodge Service Commission in the purchase of property and the drawing of plans. It must always be remembered that a Masonic lodge is a representation of King Solomon's Temple which was the dwelling place of the Most High. The meeting place should be one of dignity worthy of the craft which it represents in the eyes both of members and of the public. I earnestly urge upon all the brethren of the Grand Lodge that we labor together to increase the spiritual force of Masonry both on ourselves and on the communities in which we reside. It is the best answer that we as a fraternity can make to the subversive forces abroad in the world. Only as we establish allegiance to the principles of the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man in our communities can we contribute to the growth of true democracy and to the building of a lasting world peace.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

I cannot close this report without expressing my deep debt to and sincere appreciation of the Past Grand Masters, the officers of the Grand Lodge and the District Deputies who have rallied round me and assisted me in

the difficult and heart-saddening experiences of this year. Particularly I should mention Most Worshipful Charles B. Newcomb, Past Grand Master, who has freely put his long experience and profound knowledge of Masonic law and customs at my disposal; without his assistance and advice I could hardly have functioned. The Grand Secretary, R.˙.W.˙.Wilbur L. McIver, in spite of ill-health, has worked prodigiously and cheerfully, contributing his own and the services of his staff to my use. R.˙.W.˙.Herbert M. Foy, Senior Grand Warden, has answered every call I have made upon him. Past Grand Masters Poteat, Sherrod, Eldridge, Bundy, and Hoffman have responded nobly. To name more would be to name them all. To them and to the brethren who have been so kind, I express my appreciation. I should like to add a word of thanks to members of University Lodge No. 408 and to Past Masters of the twenty-first district who have contributed of their time and energy by accompanying me on trips and driving for me. I wish all the brethren of the Grand Lodge the greatest possible personal and fraternal prosperity, good health and success in the coming year.

Fraternally submitted,

Wallace E. Caldwell

Deputy Grand Master,
Acting Grand Master.

ADDRESS OF THE ACTING GRAND MASTER
To The Grand Lodge at Raleigh, N. C., April 18, 1950

My brethren, my printed report is a record of what has happened. I want to talk to you for a few minutes about what I'd like to see happen. I got to talking like this in Durham one night, and when I finally stopped, one of the brethren said the next time they wanted a filibuster in the Senate, they were going to send me up and let me talk about Masonry. I'll try to keep it brief, but there are certain things that I would like to have the brethren of the Grand Lodge think about.

I would like to have you brethren here present tonight to think with me about these and report to your lodges when you go back home at least some of the things which I have said. If you don't agree with everything I say, that is all right, I don't mind that at all, providing you think through the reasons why you disagree, and that you understand just exactly where you stand in the matter.

When we look at this institution called Masonry, our first consideration, the basis for all of our thinking about Masonry, the foundation of all of our work in Masonry, the basis for the entire Craft, is the fact that a Masonic Lodge is erected to God. There is in Masonry, through Masonry, underneath Masonry, above Masonry, a spiritual thought, a thought which men have recognized since the very beginning of history, which has found beautiful expression in the Ritual, Symbol, Allegory and Moral System of our philosophy in Masonic Lodges. There have been in history many other organizations, organizations with secrets, organizations with beautiful rituals, organizations with fine ideas. None of them have survived through the centuries the way the Masonic Fraternity has survived. The abiding strength that has caused Masonry to persist throughout the centuries and has been the firm foundation in Masonry, is that it is erected to God. Masons are endeavoring to build in their own lives and in the community about them a house not made with hands which shall be eternal in the Heavens. In all of our thinking about Masonry, that must be our first thought.

We proceed from that to the work of Masonry. A lodge is a certain number of Masons duly assembled, having the Holy Bible, Square and Compasses, and a Charter or Warrant empowering them to *work*. Let us begin at the very beginning, since work in Masonry consists in the first place in taking profanes, as we call the men outside the order, and making them into Masons. Unfortunately, we take a great many and make them merely into members of Masonic Lodges. If we are going to do our work well, and Masonry is to endure and prosper, we must see to it that we take our petitioners and

make them into Masons. The first step, the very first step, is when a man comes to you and says, "I want to petition a Masonic Lodge," and asks you for a blank. The first thing you should ask yourself is, "Is he worthy?" Can you really say when he gets into the lodge that he is worthy and well qualified? Can you vouch for him as the sort of man who will make a good Mason, the sort of a man whom you really can recommend as material out of which Masonry can make a Master Mason? There is no need for him to be, and there is no use to say he is, a Master Mason to begin with. I've seen a great many men that looked like rather poor material who sometimes became great Master Masons; but you've got to be sure that the material is there. The responsibility is yours when you sign his petition. Another thing, you should find out why he wishes to join the order.

A man came to me the other day, and said, "I've been debating for a long time as to what institution I could join in town that would do me the most good." He said: "You may not agree with my decision, but I've decided to join this club instead of the Masonic Fraternity." I said, "My friend, you did exactly right," and I think that if that club that he joined had known why he was joining, they wouldn't have wanted him either. A man should want to join a Masonic Lodge for what he can contribute, for what Masonry can do to build him up so that he can contribute more. Be careful, my brethren, when you accept the petition, why the man wants to join, and be sure that before you sign that petition, he understands clearly in so far as you can in talking to a man who is not a Mason, and you can talk clearly about a good many things about Masonry, what sort of an institution he is joining. You sign his petition, and an investigating committee goes out. There has been a good deal of confusion in the Craft about that—that requirement in THE CODE that an investigating committee must see the candidate. Brethren, that does not mean that you have got to form a committee and go around and wait on the candidate in a group and say, "My friend, we are the committee from the lodge to investigate you." That is not the intention of THE CODE. The intention of THE

CODE simply is to see to it that if you are a member of the investigating committee, you will investigate. You may know the man well, you may see him on the street every day—that is all right—I still think you ought to stop and speak to him and I think not only you, but other members of the lodge, so that he may not know who an investigating committeeman is if he should stop and meet him on the street. Say "I hear you put in a petition, Why? Why?" Be sure that you investigate thoroughly. You should contact his references, talk to his neighbors, and learn his general reputation.

I get reports that unworthy men become members of Masonic Lodges. I had a letter from one man saying, "We are getting a lot of men in here we shouldn't have." The greatest responsibility for that is on the man that accepted the petition, and the second responsibility is on the investigating committee. I've had one or two letters about the reports of those investigating committees. The Master may or may not announce the names. I think he should. Those names are not recorded in the minutes, neither is the nature of the report. The minutes simply record the fact that the Master appointed an investigating committee, the investigating committee made its report and ballot was spread. Well, the investigating committee reports favorably, and the petition comes up for ballot. Brethren, I'm giving you some expressions of personal opinion here, and I say you don't have to agree with me. When I know a man has been recommended to University Lodge, that I think is unworthy of University Lodge, I don't wait for the ballot box; I go to a member of the investigating committee or I go to the Secretary or the Master, and we stop that thing before it gets that far. I feel very strongly that there should seldom be a cloudy ballot, because I think if you know something definite that should keep a man from being a Mason, you ought to see to it that it does not come to a vote. I'm just expressing a personal opinion. The Past Grand Masters here may not agree with me, you may not agree with me. Ballot is spread.

Brethren, we've got to bear down with our lodges on the point that when you are balloting, you are balloting

for the good of the order. You are not balloting to vent your spleen upon the Master or the Wardens, or the Past Masters or the brethren of the lodge; you are not balloting because of some personal feeling between you and the candidate. The question before you is, is the man upon whom you are balloting a fit man to be made a Mason, and to be a member of your lodge. Every now and then, I receive letters from lodges where the ballot was spread and there was one black ball and they were trying to claim the ballot was illegal and want another one. The ballot stands, brethren, for a year. Just be sure before the ballot is cast that the Master instructs the brethren, and bear down on them, my brethren. That ballot box is in a way the heart of Masonry, because it is there that men are voted in or kept out. When the ballot is cast against a good man, the harm that is done to the Fraternity is just as much as when a white ball is cast for a man who shouldn't get in.

Well, we've got our man through the ballot box. He is now a candidate for the degrees but he is not yet ready to receive them. A brother in University Lodge told me of his experience. He was elected and notified to appear on a certain evening at 7:30. Arriving, he was waiting in the ante-room when out came a man with a sword in his hand, called the local doctor and said, "Come on down, Doc. We have a candidate tonight and are going to need you." He was almost ready to leave. He received nothing from the degree because he kept wondering when the doctor was going to be needed. The story sounds amusing but from the point of view of Masonry it is tragic. A candidate should receive instruction from some wise and experienced Mason. He should be told something of the history, aims and purposes and meaning of Masonry. He should be informed that the first degree is a solemn and simple ceremony, with no great fanfare or display but full of meaning; that he is to come clean in heart and mind and body prepared to listen and receive instruction, to profit from and enjoy the experience of the degree. To make this possible, I have recommended an amendment to THE

CODE to the effect that no man may be initiated the same night on which he was elected. I urge the lodges to see that their candidates are instructed.

We then come to the degree work itself. In this proficiency in the ritual is essential, if it is to have the proper effect on the candidate. When the officers hesitate, repeat themselves or fumble for words the effect is lost. Mere proficiency is not enough. Don't get up there and merely recite words. Those words have a meaning and there is a special power behind them and that is what you are trying to convey to the candidate. Put feeling into them. Don't get dramatic unless you like to. Drama is all right. I do not recommend it and it is not necessary. What is necessary is sincerity, absolute sincerity and belief in what you are doing and saying. You are conveying to the candidate something that comes from your heart and if you make that clear it will enter his heart and make a Mason out of him. Think back over the night you were Initiated, recall the high spots of your experience and by your work pass them on to the candidate. See that he gets some comprehension of the educational symbolism and the inspiration of the Middle Chamber in the second degree. The third degree is a sublime tragedy. It should never be spoiled for the candidate by undue roughness or careless levity. These may completely destroy the significance of the work for the brother who is being Raised.

Another thing, my brethren, is it right to bring a candidate for Masonry into a lodge room filled with smoke? I enjoy smoking as much as any one. But I still feel that we can all circumscribe our desires during the solemn ceremonies of the degrees.

To supplement the degree work, to prepare the candidate for the succeeding degrees and to see that he learns more about Masonry while his mind is open and he is eager to learn, the Grand Lodge has prepared the Lodge System of Masonic Education. I urge all the lodges to adopt and use it. It is well written and contains information which a candidate or indeed a Master Mason should have. In larger lodges, it may be possible to use the system as provided on a full scale; in smaller lodges,

you can't do it. If you can't do anything else, you can at least give a copy of the book to your coach, let him read it and as he coaches the candidate in the catechism of the first degree and the second degree and the third degree if he goes on and gives it, let him talk to the candidates what is in that book. Anybody can take that book and read it through and jot down a few notes of the important things that are in there and pass them on to the candidates so that the candidate really has some idea of what is going on as he is being advanced in Masonry. It would be worth while some evening when you have no work to read the pamphlet in open lodge and discuss the topics which it treats. The degrees are over and the candidate is now a Master Mason.

Are you a Master Mason? Are we, any of us, Master Masons, from the oldest Past Grand Master here down to the youngest-made Master Mason? Think about it, brethren. What does the Ritual tell us! "In youth as Entered Apprentices we ought industriously to occupy our minds in the acquisition of useful knowledge; in manhood as Fellow Crafts, we should apply our knowledge to the performance of our respective duties to God, our neighbor and ourselves; so that in age as Master Masons we may enjoy the happy reflections consequent upon a well spent life and die in the hope of a glorious immortality." There was an old, a very beloved man in Chapel Hill, who died three or four years ago; he was 83 or 84. One of the last things he said was, "If I could just live another month I could get that job done." Brethren, the temple was not completed. The craftsmen who were building it were not Master Masons. Our temple is not completed. I think sometimes there is deeper significance in that symbolism of the third degree, that in manhood and age, as long as we are on this earth, we are Fellow Crafts building a temple, building it ourselves, building it in our neighborhood, our families, our surroundings, and that never until some casualty or disease has leveled us to a dead horizontal and our mortal remains have been laid to rest, shall we become Master Masons. Then we believe that the strong grip of the Supreme Grand Master shall

raise us to be members of that undissolving celestial lodge eternal in the heavens.

Each one of you and each one of us up here and myself are endeavoring to apply to our own lives, our own acts, the working tools of Masonry. Do you ever think about them, brethren? Do you ever really think about dividing your time? Eight hours for the service of God and a distressed, worthy brother? Do you ever really take that gavel and break off some of your own rough corners? Can your actions stand the test of the Square? Can any of us stand up against the measure of that plumb line, which the Lord God put down in the midst of his people of Israel? I'm sure that I can't. Consider that, brethren. Do we meet all men on the level? In our lodge work, do we often think about the Trowel? Brethren, I've sat in Masonic meetings when I wanted to get up, get the instrument box, take out the Trowel and put it in the hands of the man who was speaking; I suggest it to you sometimes. Do we really in our lodges use the Trowel? Are we spreading that cement of brotherly love and affection so that no contention should exist save that noble contention or rather emulation of who can best work and best agree? I don't mean, my brethren, that there shouldn't be differences of opinion. There should be, because each brother is only one out of many, and nobody has the monopoly of right opinion. There needs to be discussion; there needs to be a difference of opinion, but as it was in the old days as the Greek philosopher Plato worded it and put it into the mouth of Socrates. Socrates had been having a very hot discussion with a friend of his, and the other man was getting a little bit excited, and Socrates said, "Now wait a minute, remember this—the object of our argument is not that my words may gain the victory over yours, or yours may triumph over mine, but that between us, we may discover the truth." That is the purpose of discussion, brethren, not that I can have my way or that you can have your way, but that out of the discussion, we may find out the best way. So brethren, in your lodges, use that Trowel, use that Trowel, and pass it around among the brethren, particularly when they

get a little bit excited about some question of lodge policy, whether you are going to do this or do that. I think there is nothing better for a lodge than a good, hot argument, particularly about a question of Masonry.

I'd like to have you try something in your lodges. I'd like to have you some night, those of you who are Masters, when there isn't anything else to do, totally unwarned, call some brother up from the floor, some brother who has never taken any part and never has said anything, and say, "Brother, I want you to get up and talk about Masonry, pick out anything in Masonry that interests you and talk about it." Limit him to ten minutes, or you may be there all night. I should have limited myself, I'm not applying that to myself. Limit him to whatever time you've got and try to get an argument started, try to get discussion started, get interest started, in just what is Masonry.

Now you've had many discussions about THE CODE; that is fine, I want you to keep it up. I also want you to get up some night and just talk. Just what does the Square mean; just what does the Plumb mean; just what does the Level mean; what is the purpose of the Holy Book on the altar; what do the Compasses mean? What do we mean when we talk about circumscribing our desires and keeping our passions within due bounds? Well, brethren, you can just start out from the very beginning and keep on going on this way. No man has encompassed all the richness of the philosophy of Masonry. You can't possibly exhaust it. Just get them to talking about it some night, and get a little discussion started, get some differences of opinion, see if you can't find out a little bit more about what Masonry is and what you can do with it.

Just these one or two things more, brethren, and I'll stop. You've got to carry your Masonry outside of the lodge. In order to have it inside the lodge, you've got to carry it outside in your relationship with your family, with your neighbors, with your community, with the state and nation as well. A Mason should stand out for integrity, for abiding by his word, for freedom of thought, for meeting all men on the level. Your ideas,

actions and life outside the lodge can be tested by the same tools with which we should test them in the lodge, and the spiritual power of Masonry is just as valuable in the relations with your fellowmen at large as it is in the lodge. Some men don't do it, some members of lodges. If you see a brother erring, do you know what you should do according to the Ritual? Never withdraw the hand that might support him, if he seems to be falling, but get there and whisper a good counsel in his ear, and endeavor to aid him in the reformation of his faults, and give him due warning of any approaching danger.

Brethren, there is a point beyond which you can't go. Masonry cannot compromise with wrong. We cannot tolerate, on the part of members of our lodges, acts which are in violation of the law of the state, as well as in Masonic law. We simply cannot tolerate grave acts on the part of certain members of our lodges, which carry the whole of the Fraternity of Masonry into disrepute. Enough of that. Let us go on. A Mason should stand out in his community. Masons should take an interest, not necessarily as a body, but as individuals in the community. I think the lodge itself might well take an interest. I'd like to see our lodge members at any rate, take an interest in the public schools; Masonry and education have always been carefully allied. We might make a day when members of the lodge would go and visit the schools, find out what is going on there, find out what is needed there, see what can be done there, see what is being done for the recreation of children, Masonic and non-Masonic. See what is being done to correct evil conditions of life, which bring crime and disease to your community. Engage in public life. Suppose you do belong to opposite political parties. In the last presidential campaign, two of the candidates, one for president and one for vice-president, both Past Grand Masters of Masons, were candidates opposed to each other, yet the best of friends. I am told that the President of the United States and Senator Darnell, at opposite ends of the pole politically, but both Past Grand Masters of Masons in Missouri, are brothers inside the Grand Lodge. Don't

think a man is your enemy because he opposes you politically; remember that politics must not be discussed in the lodge, and must not be brought in the lodge, and must not be thought of in your feeling for the lodge. Remember, that in public life, as in the lodge, what you are doing or should be doing, is not striving necessarily for the victory of your side, but striving that the contest between the two, can bring about that which is best for the country. So, my brethren, work as Masons. All I've said to you can be summed up in one sentence, that you have heard before, which I want you to receive standing. As you once, each of you, stood in the lodge, so do you stand now, each of you, as a Master Mason and I charge you always to walk and act as such.

THE CHANTERS

The Chanters, a musical organization of Sudan Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., rendered two beautiful numbers which were enjoyed and appreciated by the brethren, as evidenced by the applause.

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

(Docket No. 2)

The Grand Treasurer presented the following report, which was received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Herewith I submit to you my Sixteenth Annual Report as your Grand Treasurer as of December 31, 1949:

Funds on hand December 31, 1948		$ 32,372.33	
Received from Grand Secretray		161,761.87	$194,134.20
Service charge Commercial Nat'l Bank		$ .24	
Less Vouchers from 1 thru 568		163,492.89	163,493.13
Balance on hand December 31, 1949			$ 30,641.07
This Balance is deposited in the following Banks:			
First National Bank, Thomasville, N. C.		$ 10,000.00	
Concord National Bank, Concord, N. C.		10,000.00	
Wach. Bk. & Tr. Co., Raleigh, N. C.		3,520.68	
The Bank of Commerce, Charlotte, N. C.		6,803.38	
The Commercial Nat'l Bank, Charlotte, N. C.	$ 317.25		
Less Service Charges	.24	317.01	$ 30,641.07

Respectfully submitted, H. C. ALEXANDER, *Grand Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY

(Docket No. 3)

The Grand Secretary presented the following report, which was received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BRETHREN:

I herewith submit my Annual Report as Grand Secretary, for the year ending December 31, 1949:

RECEIPTS FROM ALL SOURCES—1949

Lodges:			
Per Capita, Etc.:			
For prior Years		$ 906.00	
For the Current Year		147,776.25	
Paid in Advance		5,414.00	$154,096.25
Miscellaneous:			
Refunds on Audit Expense ($225.00 due previous year)		$ 575.00	
Refund on Grand Master's Apron		9.12	
Grand Lodge Demits		105.00	
Penalties for Lost Copies of O. S. W.		20.00	
Penalties for Lost Copies of Vocabulary		10.00	
Fees for Dispensations		150.00	
Fees for Charters		100.00	
Photographing Old Lodge Charters		13.50	
Sale of Old Chairs		9.00	
Sale of Books:			
THE CODE of 1948 (1,067 Copies)	$2,134.00		
Bahnson's Manual (2,186 Copies)	2,186.00		
Claudy Books (636 Sets)	636.00		
Lodge System of Masonic Education (352 Copies)	88.00		
Proceedings for 1948 (1 Copy)	2.00		
Pantagraph's List for 1949 (2 Copies)	1.50		
John C. Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary Fund	1,626.50	6,674.00	7,665.62
TOTAL RECEIPTS			$161,761.87

All of the above ($161,761.87) was delivered to the Grand Treasurer as follows:

DATE	CHECK NO.	AMOUNT
January 5, 1949	1-49	$ 5,000.00
January 8, 1949	2-49	5,000.00
January 12, 1949	3-49	5,000.00
January 13, 1949	4-49	5,000.00
January 17, 1949	5-49	5,000.00
January 15, 1949	6-49	5,000.00
January 19, 1949	7-49	5,000.00
January 21, 1949	8-49	5,000.00
January 22, 1949	9-49	5,000.00
January 24, 1949	10-49	5,000.00
January 24, 1949	11-49	5,000.00
January 25, 1949	12-49	5,000.00
January 26, 1949	13-49	5,000.00
January 29, 1949	14-49	5,000.00
January 29, 1949	15-49	5,000.00
January 31, 1949	16-49	5,000.00
February 3, 1949	17-49	5,000.00
February 5, 1949	18-49	5,000.00
February 7, 1949	19-49	5,000.00
February 9, 1949	20-49	5,000.00
February 12, 1949	21-49	5,000.00
February 12, 1949	22-49	5,000.00
February 14, 1949	23-49	5,000.00
February 14, 1949	24-49	5,000.00
February 16, 1949	25-49	5,000.00
February 17, 1949	26-49	5,000.00
February 19, 1949	27-49	5,000.00
February 25, 1949	28-49	5,000.00
February 28, 1949	29-49	5,000.00
February 28, 1949	30-49	5,000.00
July 9, 1949	31-49	3,258.82
September 8, 1949	32-49	1,330.28
December 20, 1949	33-49	1,594.65
December 24, 1949	34-49	2,726.62
December 31, 1949	35-49	2,851.50
TOTAL		$161,761.87

Vouchers were drawn against the Budget as follows:

DISBURSEMENTS

	BUDGET	VOUCHERS
A-1. Oxford Orphanage	$ 50,000.00	$ 50,000.00
A-2. Masonic and Eastern Star Home	15,000.00	15,000.00
A-3. Charity	2,000.00	1,600.00
B-1. Grand Secretary	5,000.00	5,000.00

	BUDGET	VOUCHERS
B-2 Grand Treasurer	$ 150.00	$ 150.00
B-3. Grand Tyler	50.00	50.00
B-4. Clerical Help, Grand Secretary	6,500.00	6,500.00
B-4A. Clerical Help, Emergency	3,600.00	2,483.31
C-1. Masonic Service Association, Dues	1,200.00	1,171.08
C-2. Grand Masters' Conference, Dues	90.00	90.00
C-3. Grand Secretaries' Conference, Dues	15.00	10.00
C-4. Masonic Relief Association, Dues	217.00	216.10
D-1. Grand Master's Office & Travel Exp.	2,000.00	1,000.00
D-2. Grand Secretary's Travel	1,000.00	1,000.00
D-3. Grand Treasurer's Office Expense	150.00	150.00
D-4. Foreign Correspondent	300.00	300.00
D-5. Deputy Grand Master, Travel Exp.	200.00	200.00
D-6. Grand Lecturers	5,500.00	6,274.50
D-7. Auditing Expense	600.00	515.00
D-8. Bond Premiums	225.00	225.00
D-9. Printing Proceedings	2,000.00	2,000.00
E-1. Gr. Masters' Conference, Gr. Master	100.00	100.00
E-2. Gr. Masters' Conference, Gr. Sec.	100.00	100.00
E-3. Gr. Masters' Conference, Dep. Gr. M.	100.00	100.00
E-4. Visiting Other Gr. Lodges, Gr. Mas.	200.00	
E-5. Visiting Other Gr. Lodges, Gr. Sec.	75.00	75.00
E-6. Visiting Other Gr. Lo., Dep. Gr. M.	75.00	75.00
E-7. George Washington Masonic Nat'l Memorial Association	50.00	50.00
E-8. Masonic Service Association	30.00	30.00
F-1. Rent	1,155.00	1,245.00
F-2. Office Expense	2,500.00	2,429.86
F-3. Equipment	2,000.00	1,662.89
F-4. Binding Annual Returns	600.00	22.00
F-5. Microfilming Annual Returns	750.00	417.50
G-1. Annual Com., Gr. Officers' Expense	500.00	397.41
G-2. Annual Com., Past Gr. Officers' Exp.	400.00	339.36
G-3. Annual Com., D. D. G. M. Expense	800.00	796.71
G-4. Annual Communication, Custodians' and Lecturers' Expense	200.00	
G-5. Annual Com., Credentials Committee	50.00	50.00
G-6. Past Grand Master's Jewel	175.00	175.00
G-7. Grand Master's Apron	75.00	75.00
G-8. Annual Communication, Boards' and Committees' Expense	400.00	111.07
G-9. Annual Com., Special Expense	1,000.00	728.07
H-1. District Deputies, Visiting Lodges	1,500.00	1,518.67
I-1. Contingent	4,500.00	4,517.26
I-2. Printing Code	7,250.00	6,946.15
I-3. Code Commission	200.00	339.29
I-4. Custodians	1,500.00	1,976.15

	BUDGET	VOUCHERS
I-5. George Washington Masonic Nat'l Memorial Association	$ 2,000.00	$ 2,000.00
I-6. Expenses of Judge Advocate	500.00	129.96
I-7. Mas. Ser. Asso. for Hos. Visitation	1,500.00	1,500.00
I-8. Relief of European Masonry	3,000.00	3,000.00
I-9. By-Laws Committee	150.00	186.22
I-10. Grand Lodge Library Expense	1,000.00	128.64
I-11. Lodge Service Commission	500.00	199.06
I-12. Employee Retirement Fund	600.00	600.00
I-13. Printing Educational Booklets	1,000.00	595.63
I-14. Taylor Grant Donation to be turned over to The N. C. Mas. Foun. Inc.	500.00	500.00
I-15. Elevator, etc., for M. & E. S. H.	11,441.00	11,441.00
TOTAL Budgeted Disbursements	$144,273.00	$138,492.89
Non-Budgeted Disbursements:		
Transferred to Foundation for Investments		25,000.00
Bank Service Charge on Grand Treasurer's Bank Account		.24
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	$144,273.00	$163,493.13

CHARTERS

The Charters of Rolesville Lodge No. 683, Ahoskie Lodge No. 684, and Pioneer Lodge No. 685 were issued as of May 4, 1949. Rolesville Lodge No. 683 was duly constituted by R.∴W.∴Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, on June 2, 1949. Ahoskie Lodge No. 684 was duly constituted by M.∴W.∴Brother Watson N. Sherrod, Past Grand Master, on June 7, 1949. Pioneer Lodge No. 685 was duly constituted by R.∴W.∴ Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, on June 8, 1949. Facsimiles of these Charters will be found in the Appendix to the Proceedings for 1951.

DISPENSATIONS

On August 18, 1949, a Dispensation was granted to twenty-seven (27) brethren for the establishment of Angier Lodge U. D., to be located at Angier in Harnett County, and this lodge was duly instituted by W.∴Brother Thomas F. Womble, District Deputy Grand Master of the 16th Masonic District, acting as special representative of the Grand Master, on August 18, 1949.

On December 7, 1949, a Dispensation was granted to twenty-five (25) brethren for the establishment of Fellowship Lodge U. D., to be located at Durham in Durham County, and this lodge was duly instituted by R.∴W.∴Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, on December 9, 1949.

On December 23, 1949, a Dispensation was granted to forty-one (41) brethren for the establishment of Cherry Point Lodge U. D., to be located at Havelock in Craven County, and this lodge was duly instituted by M.∴W.∴Brother William J. Bundy, Past Grand Master, acting as special representative of the Grand Master, on December 28, 1949.

Facsimiles of both the Petition for Dispensation and the Dispensation for each of these three (3) lodges will be found in the Appendix to the Proceedings for 1950.

ESTIMATE OF MEMBERSHIP

As of December 31, 1949

Number Master Masons reported as of December 31, 1948			46,054
Number Net Corrections in Annual Returns for 1948			41
CORRECTED Total as of December 31, 1948			46,095
ADD: Gains in 1949:			
Number INITIATED	3,020		
Number PASSED	3,000		
Number RAISED		3,039	
Number ADMITTED		579	
Number RESTORED		218	
Total Gains			3,836
TOTAL			49,931
DEDUCT: Losses in 1949:			
Number EXPELLED		4	
Number SUSPENDED		1	
Number EXCLUDED For NPD		252	
Number DEMITTED		500	
Number DIED		701	
Total Losses			1,458
Total Number Master Masons December 31, 1949			*48,473
NET GAIN for 1949			2,378
Petitioners for the Degrees Rejected in 1949			571

(Note: The foregoing figures are subject to change as the Annual Returns of the Lodges are audited during the year.)

* This figure includes 26 Dual Members of North Carolina Lodge of Research No. 666 who are also members of other North Carolina Lodges, and one Dual Member of North Carolina Lodge of Research No. 666 who is also a member of a Lodge in another Grand Jurisdiction.

CHARTERED LODGES AND LODGES UNDER DISPENSATION

Number of Chartered Lodges as of January 1, 1949	321
ADD: Chartered May 4, 1949: Rolesville Lodge No. 683, Ahoskie Lodge No. 684, and Pioneer Lodge No. 685	3
Number of Chartered Lodges as of January 1, 1950	324
ADD: Lodges Under Dispensation: Angier Lodge at Angier, Fellowship Lodge at Durham, and Cherry Point Lodge at Havelock	3
TOTAL Number of Lodges Chartered and Under Dispensation as of January 1, 1950	327

LODGES CONSOLIDATED

No lodges were consolidated during the year 1949.

ANNUAL RETURNS

Every lodge has filed its Return for 1949. Only THREE lodges failed to file their Returns by March 1, one of them being delinquent for one day and paying a penalty of $1.00; the second being delinquent for three days and paying a penalty of $3.00; and the third being delinquent for seven days and paying a penalty of $7.00. We again express our sincere appreciation for the splendid cooperation of our Secretaries, and we say again that one of the best assets that any lodge can have is a faithful, interested, and efficient Secretary.

DELINQUENT LODGES

Three (3) lodges owed small balances in the total amount of only $29.50 as of December 31, 1949, but all of those balances have been paid, and all indebtedness in connection with 1949 Returns has been paid. Only one (1) lodge had failed to pay the balance due in connection with its 1949 Return as of March 1, 1950, it being delinquent for five days and paying a penalty of $5.00. We now have no delinquent lodges.

THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA SERVICE AWARDS

(25-Year Certificates)

We prepared and delivered 667 Grand Lodge Service Awards, or 25-Year Certificates, during the year 1949. A total of 546 of these Awards were presented by Grand Master Horton, and 73 have been presented by Acting Grand Master Caldwell.

THE GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA VETERAN'S EMBLEMS

(Fifty-Year Emblems)

Awards for fifty years (or more) of CONTINUOUS membership were made to the Brethren listed below during the year 1949 (ten by Grand Master Hoffman, and thirty-one by Grand Master Horton):

GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA VETERAN'S EMBLEMS

(Fifty-Year Emblems)

NAME	Date	LODGE	Date Raised	Lodge in Which Raised
John W. Coffey	1-17-1949	Hiram 40	1-17-1898	Hiram 40
A. J. Thompson	1-22-1949	Yadkin Falls 637	9- 9-1898	Thomas M. Holt 492
J. W. Little	3- 7-1949	Grimesland 475	11- 1-1898	Grimesland 475
L. A. Bethune	3-22-1949	Hiram 98	6-22-1889	Coharie 379
Harwell Craig Crumley	3-30-1949	Pigeon River 386	*10- 7-1898	
C. M. Cain	4- 5-1949	Salem 289	4-15-1898	Salem 289
John Milton Jones	4- 7-1949	Wendell 565	1890	Rolesville 156
M. T. Davis	4-12-1949	Kenly 257	9-25-1897	Kenly 257
John H. Watson	4-12-1949	Kenly 257	4-21-1898	Kenly 257
James H. Alford	4-12-1949	Kenly 257	4-21-1898	Kenly 257
James M. Lovingood	4-23-1949	Marble Springs 439	4-22-1899	Marble Springs 439
W. G. Earp	5- 7-1949	Archer 165	10-11-1898	Archer 165
John R. Munden	5-13-1949	Selma 320	6- 3-1898	Four Oaks 478
W. H. Fields	5-13-1949	Selma 320	**2-17-1899	
N. A. Quinn	7- 9-1949	Montgomery 426	10-12-1895	Shoal Creek 518
George T. Parker	7-12-1949	Davie 39	11-19-1897	Davie 39
P. L. McMillan	7-26-1949	Ashe 594	10-29-1898	Crumpler 467
Cornelius H. Julian	8-20-1949	Hanks 128	10-15-1898	Hanks 128
Walter Lestrade Gilbert	9- 2-1949	Statesville 27	10- 4-1898	Statesville 487
J. M. Patterson	9- 4-1949	Fairview 339	5- 3-1899	State Line 375
J. W. P. Smithwick	9-15-1949	Lenoir 233	4-15-1897	Pamlico 300
Joseph W. Boyles	9-16-1949	Thomasville 214	9-16-1899	Pilot 493
W. J. Willett	9-17-1949	Cannon Memorial 626	5-27-1899	South Fork 462
James R. Edmundson	9-19-1949	Mount Lebanon 117	6-13-1899	Red Springs U. D.
D. C. Lassiter	10-21-1949	Fairmont 528	8-14-1899	Enfield 447
George H. Cole	10-21-1949	Fairmont 528	3-25-1895	Suffolk 30, Suffolk, Va.

* Date Admitted to Unaka 268 from Georgia.

** Date Admitted from Manchester Lodge No. 14, Manchester, Virginia.

GRAND LODGE OF NORTH CAROLINA VETERAN'S EMBLEMS

(Fifty-Year Emblems)

NAME	Date	LODGE	Date Raised	Lodge in Which Raised
Jesse Morrow Oldham	10-25-1949	Phalanx 31	3-24-1899	Phalanx 31
L. N. Glenn	10-29-1949	South Fork 462	11-12-1898	South Fork 462
J. E. Stewart	11- 3-1949	Monroe 244	7-20-1899	Monroe 244
Wade R. Brown	11-18-1949	Raleigh 500	6- 5-1893	Recovery 31, South Carolina
Thomas H. Calvert	11-18-1949	Raleigh 500	12-21-1896	Columbus 102
F. F. Harding	11-18-1949	Raleigh 500	10-13-1899	William G. Hill 218
A. C. Payne	11-18-1949	Lee 253	10- 1-1898	Lee 253
R. T. Holbrook	11-18-1949	Winston 167	1891	Traphill 346
John S. Plunkett	11-18-1949	Salem 289	11-22-1898	Salem 289
Eli Rodgers	11-21-1949	Stonewall 296	11-18-1899	Stonewall 296
Samuel Hinsdale	11-28-1949	William G. Hill 218	7-10-1899	William G. Hill 218
William Dougal MacMillan	12- 7-1949	Orient 395	10-15-1899	Orient 395
John Wesley Frank	12-20-1949	Henderson 229	10-14-1899	Winston 167
John Bensel Cranmer	12-28-1949	St. John's 1	11- 9-1899	Wilmington 319
Robert Rollo Stone	12-28-1949	St. John's 1	11-10-1899	St. John's 1

EMERGENT COMMUNICATIONS OF THE GRAND LODGE

Emergent Communications of the Grand Lodge have been held as follows:

May 10, 1949, at Spencer, for the purpose of laying the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple of Spencer Lodge No. 543.

May 28, 1949, in the hall of Bula Lodge No. 409 at Burlington, for the purpose of laying the corner stone of the new gymnasium at Elon College.

November 2, 1949, at Andrews, for the purpose of burying with Masonic Honors the remains of Most Worshipful Clyde Hamilton Jarrett, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina.

February 2, 1950, at Pittsboro, for the purpose of burying with Masonic Honors the remains of Most Worshipful Wilkins Perryman Horton, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina.

March 19, 1950, at Raleigh, for the purpose of conducting a Masonic funeral service for Most Worshipful Brother Elmer E. Beach, Past Grand Master of Masons in Illinois, and Grand Representative of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina Near the Grand Lodge of Illinois.

MEETINGS

The Grand Secretary attended the Regional Conferences for District Deputies conducted at Raleigh and Hickory; the Emergent Communications of the Grand Lodge at Spencer, Burlington, Andrews, and Raleigh; and, at the request of Grand Master Horton, attended as many District Meetings as it was humanly possible for him to attend. Only the state of his health prevented him from attending the Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge at Pittsboro, and the Washington Conferences in February. Only the state of his health and his official duties caused him to decline invitations to attend other Masonic meetings.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

I acknowledge with grateful appreciation election to Honorary Membership in several of our Lodges.

PAST GRAND MASTER NEWCOMB

I again record my sincere appreciation to M.·.W.·.Brother Charles Bailey Newcomb for his able assistance and wise counsel on many occasions.

GRAND MASTER HORTON

I cannot refrain from expressing here the keen loss which I felt in the passing of our Grand Master, M.·.W.·.Brother Wilkins Perryman Horton. Having known him for many years as an outstanding citizen of our State, it was my privilege to know him intimately as a man and a Mason during the all too short period during which he served as Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, and I learned to love and respect him.

COMMENTS

The Grand Secretary's Reports for the past four years have endeavored to give you some idea as to the continued heavy and rapid increase in detail work in this office, and we can only repeat, for your information and guidance, that the demands made on us for service continue to grow. Master Masons in good standing in North Carolina Lodges have grown from 35,014 to 48,473—a net gain of 13,459—in four years. If your Grand Secretary's Office is to give the service desired and demanded by the Brethren, and to which they are entitled, it MUST have adequate space, personnel, additional equipment, and the supplies needed to enable it to give that service. A detailed report of the needs of this office will be placed before the Committee on Finance, and we again earnestly solicit your cooperation "for the good of Masonry."

APPRECIATION

And, finally, I am personally grateful to the many Brethren who have cooperated with us during the past year, especially R.·. W.·.Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master, and the other Line Officers of the Grand Lodge; the Past Grand Masters, the Committees, the District Deputy Grand Masters, the Secretaries of our Lodges, and the ever faithful and efficient staff in the office of your Grand Secretary. All of them have made a real contribution to Freemasonry.

Respectfully submitted,

Grand Secretary.

RESOLUTION OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Docket No. 4)

M.·.W.·.Brother Watson N. Sherrod, Past Grand Master, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

"RESOLVED, That the report of the Committee on Finance shall be the order of business at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening, April 19, 1950, immediately following the calling of the Grand Lodge from Refreshment to Labor, and

"RESOLVED, Further, That all resolutions, motions, and reports asking or carrying appropriations and expenditures shall be placed before the Grand Lodge before 12:00 o'clock, noon, Wednesday, April 19, 1950, and

"RESOLVED, Further, That all such matters offered after 12:00 o'clock, noon, Wednesday, be carried over to the Annual Communication of 1951."

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

(Docket No. 5)

The Grand Secretary presented the following report of the Board of General Purposes, which was unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of General Purposes met, pursuant to the provisions of THE CODE, on Tuesday morning, April 18, 1950, at 10:00 o'clock, in the Grand Secretary's Office.

The Board recommends that the Grand Master's address be distributed as follows:

That the portions dealing with the Acts of Grand Master Horton, Dispensations Granted, Physical Disabilities, Official Opinions, and Amendment to THE CODE be referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence;

That the section pertaining to Lodges Under Dispensation be referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations;

That the portion on Board of Custodians and Grand Lecturer be referred to the Board of Custodians and the Committee on Finance;

That the section under Grand Master's Award relative to the use of the Lodge System of Masonic Education be referred to the Board of Custodians;

That the portion pertaining to New Aprons be referred to the Committee on Finance;

That the subject of Veteran's Buttons be retained by the Board of General Purposes for further consideration;

That the item dealing with Newly Made Master Masons be referred to the incoming Grand Master;

That the section on Oxford Orphanage be referred to the Committee on Oxford Orphanage;

That the section on Masonic and Eastern Star Home be referred to the Committee on Masonic and Eastern Star Home; and

That all other matters and things be referred to the proper Board, Commission, or Committee.

Fraternally submitted,

THE BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

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TRIBUTE TO MOST WORSHIPFUL BROTHER WILKINS PERRYMAN HORTON

(Docket No. 6)

W.·.Brother Daniel L. Bell, P. M., presented the following tribute to M.·.W.·.Brother Wilkins Perryman Horton, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina at the time of his death on February 1, 1950, which was received and entered upon the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

It is my high privilege, and an honor which I deeply appreciate, to pay tribute this evening to the memory of our late Grand Master, Wilkins Perryman Horton. The untimely death of Grand Master Wilkins Perryman Horton occurred on the morning of February 1, 1950. His death was a great loss not only to the Grand Lodge, but to the whole State of North Carolina.

Wilkins Perryman Horton was born September 1, 1889, in Corning, Kansas, the son of Thomas B. and Mary Ellen (Wilkins) Horton. When he was three years of age, he moved with his father and mother to Chatham County, North Carolina. He was reared in Williams Township, Chatham County, North Carolina, and attended the schools of his home community. After he had graduated from the local school, he attended Draughn's Business College at Raleigh, 1910-11. From there he went to the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, which he attended during the years 1912-1914, studying law. He was admitted to the Bar of North Carolina, in 1914.

After he had been admitted to the Bar, Wilkins Perryman Horton located in Pittsboro, for the practice of his profession, and he made that his home for the remainder of his life.

Prior to his moving to Pittsboro, and as soon as he was twenty-one years of age, Wilkins Perryman Horton filed an application with George Washington Lodge Number 174, in Chatham County, for degrees in Masonry. His application was gladly received and approved by this Lodge, and he was made a Mason in due time. In 1919, since he had moved his residence to Pittsboro, Brother Horton moved his membership from George Washington Lodge to Columbus Lodge Number 102. Shortly thereafter he was elected Junior Warden, then Senior Warden, and in 1925, he was elected Worshipful Master of Columbus Lodge, which office he held for two years. In 1942, he was again elected Worshipful Master of Columbus Lodge. For a number of years he was a member of Oasis Shrine Temple at Charlotte, North Carolina.

Brother Horton was very much interested in Masonry and devoted much of his time to the work of his Lodge, seeking to improve the Lodge, promote its growth and development and to

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encourage all Masons to practice the teaching and principles of the Order in their daily lives. He was particularly interested in the Oxford Orphanage and served for a number of years on the Board of Directors of that institution.

Brother Horton's interest in Masonry and the work that he had done for the good of the Order was recognized by the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in 1941, when he was appointed Grand Steward. He was promoted through the various offices of the Grand Lodge until at the meeting of the Grand Lodge in May, 1949, he was elected Grand Master. He was installed in this high office on May 4, 1949. Brother Horton appreciated the high honor that was conferred upon him when he was elected and installed as Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, probably more than any other honor that came to him during his life. He looked forward to the opportunity that would be his to contribute to the advancement of Masonry in this State, and he immediately made plans for the advancement of the Order. It is a great loss to us all that he was not able to live to carry out and develop those plans.

Immediately after he was installed as Grand Master, it was necessary for him to go to the hospital for treatment and to undergo a serious operation. While the operation seemed to have improved his physical condition for a short time, he was far from well, and much of the time he was suffering pain. In spite of his physical condition and the actual pain which he was suffering, with the indomitable courage which had frequently manifested itself throughout his life, he endeavored to carry on; but even his great courage could not stay or overcome the summons to the Lodge Celestial.

Not only was Brother Horton interested in Masonry, but he was interested in the welfare and development of his County and State. He took an interest in politics, thinking that that was one way to promote better government in North Carolina. He was elected to the State Senate for the Sessions of 1919, 1927, 1931 and 1935. In 1936, he was elected Lt. Governor of North Carolina, and held that office during the years 1937-1941. In the Primary of 1940, he was a candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Governor. There were a total of seven candidates in this race, and Brother Horton was the second highest man, receiving in excess of 105,000 votes. He had the right to call for a second Primary, but in the interest of party harmony, he declined to call for one, and thereby assured the election of J. Melvin Broughton as Governor. He was elected Democratic National Committeeman for North Carolina in 1944, and served in this capacity with great distinction until his voluntary resignation in 1947. He was elected Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee and he served as such until August, 1948. In May, 1949, Brother Horton was appointed as a Special Judge of the Superior Court of North Carolina by Governor W. Kerr Scott. He assumed the

duties of this office on July 1, 1949. In all of these offices, he served with ability and marked distinction.

Brother Horton was married to Miss Cassandra Mendenhall, of Guilford County, on June 12, 1918. He was devoted to his wife, and she to him. Their married life was exceptionally happy. It was a great loss to Brother Horton when his wife died in March, 1943. Their son, Harry P. Horton, survives them and is now a practising attorney at law in Pittsboro.

Wilkins Perryman Horton loved his home, his County, his State and his fellowman. He gave unstintingly of his time and resources to serve them. He contributed much to the development and improvement of his County and State in every way. He was active in the Methodist Church, of which he was a Steward. He was interested in education and made a substantial contribution to the schools of Chatham County by sponsoring an oratorial contest known as the Horton Contest, for twenty years. He was vitally interested in the Masonic Order, and was ever glad to serve it any way he could. He was interested in all things that promised to make North Carolina a better place in which to live.

It can truly be said that Wilkins Perryman Horton was a great Mason, a great Legislator, a great Jurist, and a great citizen of North Carolina. His loss is felt not only in his home County of Chatham, but throughout the length and breadth of the State. His life added new luster to the badge of a Mason. In truth and in fact, he was a good Mason. No higher tribute can be paid to any man.

PAST GRAND MASTER'S JEWEL PRESENTED

The Past Grand Master's Jewel of our late beloved Most Worshipful Grand Master, Brother Wilkins Perryman Horton, was presented to his son, Brother Harry Perryman Horton, by M.·.W.·.Brother William J. Bundy, P. G. M., with the following words:

M.·.W.·.BROTHER WILLIAM J. BUNDY, P. G. M.:

Most Worshipful Grand Master and Brethren:

As it has been said many times, toward the end of any man's year as Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, he becomes an eager candidate for the title of Past Grand Master; so, of course, it must have been to Most Worshipful Wilkins P. Horton, and it is with deep regret that he is unable to be here this evening to obtain unto that exalted station and to be recognized as such, and to receive the emblem and insignia of that office. But his son, Brother Harry Horton, is here to receive it in his stead, and if you will rise now, Brother Horton.

Brethren, from the time whereof I remember not to the contrary, it has been the custom of the Grand Lodge and indeed a proper custom to present to the retiring Past Grand Master,

the Past Grand Master's Jewel. Not for the intrinsic worth or value thereof, but that it might be laid up among the records in the archives of his memory to be there ever perpetuated and to forever thereby be a reminder to him of the state to which he has attained, and of the affection in which he was held by the Masons in this Grand Jurisdiction. So, we do now come to present posthumously to the son of our lamented Grand Master, the Past Grand Master's Jewel, in token of our esteem and affection for him. His weary feet came to the end of their toilsome journey, and from his nerveless hands dropped forever the working tools of life. And it can be fittingly said of him, I think, as it was told to each of us when we received the apron in the Entered Apprentice Degree, a record of his life and actions have been as pure and spotless as the fair emblem which he received upon the occasion of his initiation. It was my pleasure, and a privilege and honor to have known him in the triple capacity of lawyer, public servant, and Mason, to each of which stations he applied the best that was within him to great credit to himself and with honor to his Fraternity, to his State. Yet, when we think of him as a Past Grand Master, we cannot but be reminded of him about whom it was said in the charge of the Master Mason's Degree, his amiable and virtuous conduct, his unfeigned piety to God and his fidelity to his trust, but that could truly, and can truly be said about Most Worshipful Brother Horton, now Past Grand Master, and it can as fittingly be said that when the great scorer, and he has, comes to write against his name, it might mean the way that we have played the game, and if any man in my acquaintance has played the game the way that we have to play the game of this ancient and honorable Fraternity of ours, so it was played by Wilkins P. Horton. It can more fittingly be said that none knew him but to love him, or named him but to praise him, and that the elements were so mixed in him that nature could stand up and say that here is a man. We deeply mourn his passing, but we are very glad he lived.

COMMISSION PRESENTED TO M.˙.W.˙.LUTHER T. HARTSELL, JR., P. G. M.

The Acting Grand Master presented to M.˙.W.˙. Brother Luther Thompson Hartsell, Jr., Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, his Commission as Honorary Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Scotland, for which Most Worshipful Brother Hartsell expressed his gratitude.

PRESENTATION OF JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDALS

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER:

Brethren, it is customary at the meeting of the Grand Lodge for the Grand Master to make certain awards. There was estab-

lished in the Grand Lodge, in honor of Joseph Montfort who was the Provincial Grand Master of Masons, the Joseph Montfort Medal. The Grand Master for the time being has the privilege of presenting three of these each year. As Acting Grand Master, it is my happy privilege to present them. I find on the back of this medal the name of a man whom I think you all know and love, who has served the Grand Lodge of Masons in North Carolina as its Grand Master, and served it well in other capacities in which he has been called upon. He is an active participant as Grand Treasurer of the York Rite Bodies, and one of the best-loved Masons in North Carolina. Come up here, Jim. I let him sit down there before just so I could make him come up now. Brethren, Most Worshipful Brother James W. Payne.

M.·.W.·.Brother James W. Payne: Most Worshipful Sir, I thank you!

The Acting Grand Master:

This year a medal also goes to a very faithful, hard-working servant of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, a man who has labored long and faithfully in the vineyard. Also, I think, known to every brother present, at least by name, if not by sight, and to most of you by sight. He has been active in the work of the lodge, in the work of his own bodies. He has gone in his younger days all over the State of North Carolina and is very widely acquainted. He is known to you best, I think, perhaps, as editor of The Orphans' Friend. This brother's name is Frank M. Pinnix. Frank, where are you?

Brother Frank M. Pinnix:

Most Worshipful, I am most grateful to you.

The Acting Grand Master:

Brethren, one of the greatest friends of Masonry in North Carolina and one of the great Masons in his own Grand Jurisdiction, who has held about every office that he could have, and finally became one of those most valuable servants, a Grand Secretary and a Grand Recorder. I wouldn't even presume to know the many high positions that he has held. For many years, he represented his Grand Lodge at our Annual Communications until it finally came to be said that without him the Grand Lodge of North Carolina could not be opened. Regrettably, his physical condition does not permit him to be present to be honored by The Grand Lodge of North Carolina. The recipient of this medal is Most Worshipful O. Frank Hart, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina. R.·.W.·.L. Wade Temple, Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina, is here to receive the medal in his behalf and I want to ask him to convey it with all of the love and affection that The Grand Lodge of North Carolina ever had to one of its greatest friends and one of its best-loved brothers.

R.·.W.·.BROTHER L. WADE TEMPLE:

Most Worshipful Grand Master and Brother Master Masons: It is in a very humble spirit that I accept this medal that you are asking me to convey to my good friend and our Grand Secretary, Most Worshipful O. Frank Hart. He can best be described in the words of the poet who said that, "He is like the pebble that is dropped into the sea, for none know how far the ripples will reach." Sir, it gives me particular pleasure to receive this medal for O. Frank Hart. His deeds are well known in our own Grand Jurisdiction, and it is indeed gratifying to know that his works are recognized outside our boundaries. Therefore, I shall be very glad to present this medal to our Past Grand Master, O. Frank Hart.

THE GRAND MASTER'S AWARD FOR DISTRICT ACTIVITIES (1949-50) PRESENTED TO WACCAMAW LODGE NO. 596

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER:

There was a contest established last summer called the Grand Master's Award. There were a number of categories. To what extent the lodges and the brethren participated in that contest I am not sure. It was broken down in several categories, not that any lodge would do a whole lot in any one of them. But in this lodge it might be possible to get a Certified Lecturer. In this lodge it might be possible to study THE CODE. In another lodge, we could do something else. We could all get out and attend these District Meetings or have some Schools of Instruction. It was spread out in such a way that many of the lodges would have a chance. The lodges were supposed to send a copy of their reports to the District Deputy, and he was supposed to save it. The Grand Secretary suggested, very fortunately, that they also send copies to me. They were supposed to have been in by March 15, but I got one in the morning mail.

I got reports from something like 175 lodges finally, and from 21 Districts, which had some 27 Schools of Instruction. Too much mathematics for me, I teach history. When I gave the reports of the District Deputies over to another man named Caldwell, George Caldwell, he is not a Mason, but he is a good mathematician, a friend of mine, a graduate student, and I said, here is a mathematical job, and not a Masonic job, it is a mathematical job. I want you to do it for me and he very kindly did work out the points set up under the orders of the contest, and then added them up for each blank, and then when he determined the District, I turned over to him all the reports I had from lodges in that District, and he figured out which lodge won. The number of points that most of the lodges got was very creditable, very creditable. There were three Districts, however, which were well out in advance. As I said, I don't have the blank, but I know the District

in third place, the third and second place were right close together. One was 761, and the other was 769, I believe. Which was second and which was third? Asheville, I think was third, and Charlotte second, or Charlotte was second and Asheville was third. They were right up there close together, and I'll tell you tomorrow morning if you want to know. The other Districts came out behind.

The winner of the contest, but wait a minute before I give you the winner, I'll tell you something else. Grand Master Horton had not decided on what the award would be. We had some discussion as to what it should be, and I thought it ought to be something that would look nice in the lodge, and ought to be something that was truly Masonic. I could have gotten you a plaque you could have put up on the wall, which was simply like other plaquès. Nobody could read it without going up there and straining their eyes to find out what it was all about. And I conceived the idea, with the assistance of some others, I think we should all have credit for it, it would be very nice to have a perfect ashlar. It could be placed either on the present pedestal or simply on the Master's carpet, as a display in front of the lodge and let the brethren see what a perfect ashlar looks like, and as a reminder that that lodge had done a good, hard piece of work in this Masonry, in the preceding year, the District as a whole had done a good, hard piece of work.

I was up in Mount Airy, and I talked to our Senior Grand Warden, Herbert Foy, about it and he said they had a good granite quarry up there, and he would see what he could do about it. So, he talked to Brother A. C. Lackey, of the North Carolina Granite Company. He told Brother Lackey that what we wanted was a perfect ashlar. I said about the size of a brick, and Brother Lackey said that he would be happy to make it for us. When he came to make it, he claimed that he couldn't make it the size that I wanted, and get the lettering on it. Some years ago, we were up in the Cherokee Indian Reservation, and my wife saw a little basket, a shallow basket, just about this size, rather shallow, that would make a good little basket to carry silver in. She wanted to buy it, and the Indian girl said, "That is sold, but I will make you another one." So, we ordered another one, and we bought several other things from this Indian girl, and she was very grateful, and she wanted to show her appreciation, so instead of making us this nice little basket that we had asked for, she made us one about this big, and about this wide. It came in very handy, it made a very nice baby basket about two years later, and it has been passed around the family somewhat since.

Well, this isn't quite that bad. What we did get was a very, very, beautiful stone, and here it is, a very beautiful perfect ashlar. I told this story partly because I want to express my great appreciation to Brother Lackey, who would not take any pay for fixing it for us. He was happy to do it. It is beautifully

done, just look at it. On this side it says, "North Carolina" with the insignia, on the back corner is the year and date of the inception of the award 1949-50, and on this side of the stone, it says Grand Master's Award. You will notice, I am turning it around carefully. Will Brother Haywood Porter from the 10th District, please approach the East? Haywood Porter, he was back there and answered to the roll call, has he gone home? How about the Master of Waccamaw Lodge? Anybody here from Waccamaw Lodge No. 596? Come up here, brother, and bring somebody with you, unless you are strong, but maybe you are strong. The District, the 10th District, and the lodge in the 10th District, that had the highest score, was Waccamaw Lodge No. 596, with pleasure. Congratulations! Brethren, that's yours to keep for a year, and we may decide to let you keep it and have another one made, I just don't know. That is up to the . . . . . , I'll have to see about that. That, I think concludes the awards.

REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN

(Docket No. 7)

The following report of the Grand Historian was read and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Since my appointment as Grand Historian, I have not attempted to prepare the history of any subordinate lodge; nor have I undertaken any specific research in Masonic history. Projects of this character, in my opinion, should be assigned to brethren who are adept in historical research.

I think one of the most practical and helpful contributions we can make to Masonic history is to insist that the record in our subordinate lodges conform to the requirements prescribed by Chapter 70 of the Code. If the Secretaries in the respective lodges will co-operate effectively in this respect, we will, in a very large measure, preserve for future historians the data from which a complete and accurate history of our Masonic labors may be written.

It has been suggested many times by former Grand Historians that our lodges should observe certain anniversary occasions. In planning a program for such an event, the primary objective should be to honor Masonry and advance the noble principles for which it stands. For it is on such occasions that our neighbors and friends may form lasting impressions of Masonry as an institution.

Regardless of the number of celebrations a lodge may hold, an accurate and complete history of the lodge should be compiled at least every twenty-five years, and a copy thereof filed with the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge. Obviously such a history would be too long to read as a part of an anniversary program, but the most essential parts could be given.

Our subordinate lodges could also make a contribution to Masonic history by compiling a brief sketch or biography of some of the most outstanding and faithful members of their respective lodges. Such data should include not only a record of the Masonic activities and achievements of such brethren, but also something of their contribution to the civic, business and religious life of the community in which they labored. Such information could be preserved by the lodge and made available to the members of the Craft who might be interested in it.

I deem it altogether fitting and proper to note in this report the names of three distinguished Masons who have died since the last Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge:

M.·.W.·.Brother Clyde Hamilton Jarrett, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, died on November 1, 1949. He was buried with Masonic Honors, the Grand Lodge holding an Emergent Communication at Andrews on November 2, 1949, for that purpose.

M.·.W.·.Wilkins Perryman Horton, Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina, died on February 1, 1950. He was buried with Masonic Honors at Pittsboro on February 2, 1950, by The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, which held an Emergent Communication for that purpose.

M.·.W.·.Brother Elmer E. Beach, Past Grand Master of Masons in Illinois, and Grand Representative of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina Near The Grand Lodge of Illinois, died at Raleigh on March 17, 1950. An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge was held at Raleigh on March 19, 1950, for the purpose of conducting a Masonic funeral service over his remains.

Respectfully submitted, EMERY B. DENNY, *Grand Historian.*

REPORT OF THE CODE COMMISSION

(Docket No. 8)

The following report of the Code Commission was read and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Code Commission respectfully report that no matters have been referred to us for attention during 1949.

We take this opportunity to suggest that it would be an inexpensive service to the Craft if a digest of the enactments and resolutions of the Grand Lodge should be made at least every two years and printed to be inserted as a part of the Appendix to THE CODE, with appropriate annotations and index.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. B. NEWCOMB, *P. G. M., Chairman,*
EMERY B. DENNY, *P. M.,*
JOEL J. FAULK, *P. M., C. L.*

R.˙.W.˙.BROTHER JOHN B. SMITH, JR.

The Acting Grand Master recognized R.˙.W.˙.Brother John B. Smith, Jr., who responded with a brief but interesting message.

R.˙.W.˙.BROTHER WILLIAM E. YEAGER

The Acting Grand Master recognized R.˙.W.˙.Brother William E. Yeager, Grand Master of Masons in Pennsylvania.

R.˙.W.˙.Brother William E. Yeager:

I am not just quite positive about my place, so far as your Most Worshipful Grand Master is concerned. Earlier today, he introduced Mrs. Yeager, then introduced me as her husband, at a Masonic meeting, my brethren. I don't know whether he knows what happened up in northwestern Pennsylvania, where I live, but I live about 350 miles from Philadelphia. About the, well, the first Wednesday in December I was elected. About the middle of the month, I get a letter one day postmarked over in Harrisburg, the center of the State, with a newspaper clipping in it. Below, written in red ink was, "Who in the heck is Grand Master anyway?" Well, I was interested. The article was date-lined Olean, New York, and it said William E. Yeager, a resident of Warren, Pennsylvania, for the past 35 years, was elected Grand Master of Masons in Pennsylvania and Masonic Jurisdictions thereunto belonging, at a meeting held in Philadelphia on December 7. Several more sentences, and then this paragraph. Mrs. Yeager will be installed Grand Master on St. John's Day. That wasn't quite as bad though, my brethren, as about two weeks ago, up in Hartford, Connecticut. We got in there in the afternoon, it was about 4 o'clock, and I had started uptown. At an uptown intersection a sweet young apparition started to make a right turn in front of me. I stopped and she stopped. I started and she started. I stopped and she stopped. Then, in a sweet voice, yet loud enough that everybody could hear, she said, "All right, Grandpop, make up your mind."

Brethren, I am delighted to be here, I was here two years ago and when I received the invitation from your Grand Master, I hastened to come, and when I heard the address by your Grand Master I considered myself well paid for the time and expense involved in making the trip.

Brethren, our world is in the midst of a stupendous and bewildering revolution. A revolution that is affecting our moral, our social, and our economic lives. We are justifiably proud of the place of Freemasonry in laying the foundation on which this nation rests, by Washington, Franklin, Madison, and other members of the order, in writing its spirit in our history. They found that Masonry has a place in present-day life, an important place,

as important a place as it had in the early days of our nation. My brethren, if we are to take advantage of the opportunity that may be accorded us as Masons, we would give to the Fraternity a position in our current economy comparable to that which it occupied in the last half of the 18th Century. It is necessary for us to follow out the type of philosophy which has just been set out before us. The type of a practical program, if you please, such as your Grand Master just laid out. As I listened to it, I was thrilled, and I was more than thrilled as I watched the interest which you gave to his message, and I am confident that under his leadership, and with your enthusiasm, Masonry will be a powerful influence for good in solution of the problems which not only confront North Carolina, but which confront our entire nation.

M.˙.W.˙.BROTHER JOHN H. HESSEY

The Acting Grand Master recognized M.˙.W.˙.Brother John H. Hessey, Past Grand Master of Masons in Maryland.

M.˙.W.˙.Brother John H. Hessey:

Most Worshipful Grand Master, distinguished guests, and brethren: I am delighted to be with you this evening. I am happy to represent my Grand Master, Brother Harry O. Schroeder, who is now in New Jersey; and, of course, his loss in visiting you is my gain. I might have something to say, but I fear from what your Grand Master has said, that he might inflict me upon you again tomorrow, and I certainly do not want to bore you twice, so if he will permit me, I'll just say to you this evening, that I have been delighted with your meeting, that I might have thought really, during the first part of it, that I was in a good old Methodist gathering, where we all had our experience meeting because of the words of wisdom that came to you from your Grand Master. It is a pleasure to be with you all, and to see you this evening.

TELEGRAMS SENT

On motion of M.˙.W.˙.Brother Hubert M. Poteat, P. G. M., duly seconded and carried, the Grand Secretary was instructed to send to M.˙.W.˙.Brothers J. Bailey Owen, John J. Phoenix, and Charles P. Eldridge, Past Grand Masters, absent on account of illness, telegrams expressing our love and affection for them, and our sincere wish that each of them will soon be fully recovered. (ED. NOTE: The telegrams were sent).

RESOLUTION

(Docket No. 9)

Hiram Lodge No. 40, William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, and Raleigh Lodge No. 500 submitted the following re-

solution which was referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Hiram Lodge No. 40, Wm. G. Hill Lodge No. 218, and Raleigh Lodge No. 500, all of Raleigh, North Carolina, respectfully petition the Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M., of North Carolina for permission:

1. To enter into a joint enterprise with any Masonic Body, or Bodies, located in Raleigh, North Carolina, and which are recognized by this Grand Lodge, for the purpose of purchasing or otherwise acquiring, or for constructing, equipping, maintaining, and/or operating a building or buildings, suitable for their use and occupancy as a meeting place or home, for said lodges or Masonic Bodies, or either of them, and:

2. To join in creating a civil corporation, if it is deemed necessary and for the best interest of the said lodges or either of them, for the purpose hereinbefore stated, and:

3. To use the word "Masonic" or any derivation thereof in the name of any temple association or corporation that may be organized to carry out the aforesaid purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

HIRAM LODGE NO. 40, A. F. & A. M.,
By Frank A. Cella, *Master.*
Attest: A. C. Allen, *Acting Secreary,*
(Seal of Lodge).

WM. G. HILL LODGE NO. 218, A. F. & A. M.,
By J. J. Crowder, *Master,*
Attest: Karl B. Glenn, *Secretary.*
(Seal of Lodge).

RALEIGH LODGE NO. 500, A. F. & A. M.,
By H. W. Shelden, *Master.*
Attest: J. R. Sexton, *Secretary.*
(Seal of Lodge).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 10)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 20-09(1) be amended to make it read as follows:

1. The Judge Advocate shall be a Past Master in good standing; well versed in Masonic Jurisprudence and further qualified as provided in Chapter 12; he shall be nominated by the Grand Master and confirmed by the Grand Lodge; he shall not be in-

stalled; his term of office shall be two years, and if he shall have served two consecutive terms he shall not be eligible to succeed himself.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was revised by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence. It was adopted as revised. See Page 166).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 11)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 32-08 be revised and amended to make it read as follows:

REG. 32-08. A brother who has heretofore served, or shall hereafter serve, three consecutive years as a District Deputy Grand Master, or who has not faithfully performed his duties for the current term of his appointment, shall not be eligible to succeed himself in that capacity.

1. A District Deputy Grand Master shall not be compensated for his services.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was adopted. See Page 166).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 12)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 50-01 be amended to add a new Article thereunder to be numbered and known as Article 25 and Section 1, thereof to read as follows:

SEC. 1. When these by-laws become effective, all previous by-laws are hereby repealed. All previous resolutions and enactments which are inconsistent, or in conflict with THE CODE or these by-laws are hereby repealed and are void.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was adopted. See Page 167).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 13)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Chapter 50 be amended by adding a new Regulation to be numbered 50-03 and to read as follows:

REG. 50-03. A revision of, or an amendment to, the by-laws of a lodge which has been presented and read as provided in Regulation 50-01, Article 24, Section 1, being unfinished business of the lodge until it has been approved by the Committee on By-Laws of the Grand Lodge as therein set forth, may be further amended if the amendment thereto is germane to the subject and adopted at any subsequent stated communication, but not after the date the said Committee shall have approved the same.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was adopted. See Page 167).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 14)

(Proposed by the Board of Custodians)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 51-10 be amended by adding another Subsection thereunder to be numbered 3 to read as follows:

3. The representatives of the three Lesser Lights shall be lighted at all times when a lodge is opened on the Degree of Entered Apprentice. It shall be optional whether they be lighted at any other time when the lodge is open. Their places shall be near the altar.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal appears also in the report of the Board of Custodians. See Docket No. 56 on Page 158 of these Proceedings. It was revised by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence and adopted as revised. See Page 167).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 15)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Chapter 51 of THE CODE be amended by adding a new Regulation to be numbered 51-35, to read as follows:

REG. 51-35. Smoking in a lodge while a degree is being conferred is prohibited. Smoking at any other time in open lodge, may be permitted only by the Master.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was revised by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence. It was adopted as revised. See Page 167).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 16)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Subdivision 4 of Regulation 70-02 be revised and amended to make it read as follows:

4. The minutes should not show the names of a Committee of Investigation, nor the details of its report, except as provided in subdivision 3 of this regulation. The minutes should not show the character of charges preferred against a member, except as required by law. (75-03; 75-04; 75-16; 108-01).

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was revised by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence. It was adopted as revised. See Page 167).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 17)

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 79-30 be amended by adding a Subsection thereto to make the Regulation as amended read as follows:

REG. 79-30. No candidate shall receive more than one degree on the same day.

1. No candidate shall receive the Degree of Entered Apprentice on the same day or at the same communication at which he is elected, nor within twelve hours after his election.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was adopted. See Page 167).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 18)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 83-22 be revised and amended to make it read as follows:

REG. 83-22. A Master Mason, member of a chartered lodge in North Carolina who is not under charges for un-Masonic conduct, and whose dues are paid to December thirty-first of the current year, or to December thirty-first of the next succeeding year but for not less than four months in advance, who desires to affiliate with another lodge in North Carolina or to join with others in forming a new lodge, may receive from the Secretary of the lodge of which he is a member a certificate of good standing in the lodge, and no action by the lodge shall be necessary to authorize the Secretary to issue such certificate. The dues receipt card is not such a certificate as is required in this regulation. By presenting such certificate together with his application for membership, he may apply for affilication with another lodge in North Carolina or he may sign a petition for a new lodge. Such application or petition, together with all papers, shall be sent to the Grand Secretary as provided for in Regulation 83-14. If he is elected on his application or if such new lodge is instituted within the expiration date named in the certificate of good standing, he thereby and on the date of such election or such institution shall become a member of the lodge electing him or the lodge under dispensation, as the case may be. The Secretary of the lodge electing him or of the new lodge shall immediately certify the fact of such election or such membership, with the date thereof, to the Grand Secretary who will make his record thereof and then send the certificate of election to the lodge issuing the certificate of good standing with instructions that the applicant shall be dropped from the roll of membership of the lodge and that his membership therein is terminated as of the date of election or institution, as the case may be, in the same manner as if by demit bearing that date. [44-01(4); 44-09; 44-12; 83-03(3); 84-04(3); 84-09; 84-25; 85-11; 85-15; 94-06; Official Forms 9, 10, 11, 12.]

The certificates herein provided for shall be in the prescribed form and shall bear the seal of the issuing lodge.

The certificate of good standing herein provided for shall be good for the purposes herein specified until the date of its expiration as therein noted and no longer. It is not required that the applicant be a resident of North Carolina, but Regulation 83-04 must be complied with. If the applicant is rejected, the certificate of good standing shall be returned to him. (83-24).

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was adopted. See Page 167).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 19)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 98-18 be amended by adding a new Subsection thereunder to be numbered 8, and to read as follows:

8. Such other details as pertain only to the receipt and transmission of documents in the case by the Grand Secretary.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was revised by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence. It was adopted as revised. See Page 168).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 20)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 102-35 be revised and amended to make it read as follows:

REG. 102-35. In the event a complainant shall die, or for any reason shall fail or refuse to prosecute, while the case is pending and before the final judgment is rendered, the prosecution shall not abate, nor shall the case, for that reason, be dismissed or tried anew; the Judge Advocate shall immediately designate, by a written order, a Master Mason in good standing to prosecute, or to continue the prosecution of the case, or do so himself. [102-02; 102-07; 102-33(3)].

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was revised by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence. It was adopted as revised. See Page 168).

RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE CODE

(Docket No. 21)

The following resolution was presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

Be it Resolved, That Regulation 106-20 be revised and amended to make it read as follows:

REG. 106-20. In any case where the punishment imposed after a trial is *expulsion,* or *arrest of charter,* or in a case where the complaint has been *dismissed,* all papers in the case shall be laid before the Committee on Appeals by the Judge Advocate, whether or not a formal appeal has been taken as provided in this chapter, and the said committee shall proceed as if an appeal had been perfected hereunder.

This amendment becomes effective the date of its adoption and repeals all prior Regulations and enactments which are inconsistent or in conflict therewith, to the extent of such conflict.

(This proposal was adopted. See Page 168).

The minutes were read and approved. Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was called from Labor to Refreshment until 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, April 19, 1950, in the Lodge Hall at 133 Fayetteville Street, Raleigh.

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

The Grand Lodge was called from Refreshment to Labor at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, April 19, 1950, by R.˙.W.˙.Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, Acting Grand Master.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Brother Newton J. Robison, Grand Chaplain.

The minutes of the previous session were read for information.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME, INC.

(Docket No. 22)

The Board of Directors of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, Inc., presented the following report, which was read, received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

This, the thirty-sixth annual report of the Home, is one of success and progress. The record of 1949 is outstanding in accomplishments.

The fund for the Latham Building, or infirmary, which was started in 1946 by the generous contribution of Mrs. J. E. Latham as a memorial to her late husband, grew to $155,630.40 and fully paid for the beautiful Latham Building which was completed, equipped, and occupied in September.

For safety, durability, and convenience, the building is not surpassed by any in our state. It is a beautiful memorial to Mr. J. E. Latham, and evidence of the thoughtfulness and vision of Mrs. J. E. Latham who gave the initial $30,000.00 and inspired Masons and Eastern Stars throughout the state to open their hearts and pocketbooks to the aged and infirm men and women of our state. For years to come this building will stand and serve in memory of all who made it possible.

We started the year with 63 Guests. We lost seven by death, two left the Home, and 16 were admitted. That gives us now an enrollment of 70 in the Home, and 19 on Home Aid.

There were 5,393 days of care in the Infirmary. If these Guests had spent 5,393 days in a hospital, the cost at the very lowest estimate would have been $6.00 per day, or a total of $32,258, or 55% of the total cost of operating the Home. As our

enrollment increases, and Guests grow older, we have more in the Infirmary, and the cost increases.

Again the Sunshine fund provided the Guests with bus tokens, repairs to radios, fruits and ice cream. The Latham Memorial fund provided each with a dollar at Christmas time. The Carson York Rite fund supplied them with reading material.

In addition to the many thousands of dollars contributed by the Masons, Eastern Stars, and friends to complete the Latham Building and for maintenance of guests, there were also a number of extra donations, for which we are deeply grateful. Mrs. John A. Kellenberger, honoring her mother, Mrs. J. E. Latham, refurnished the living room in the main building. Mr. Harvey Smith sent us 400 bags of dairy and hog feed. Mr. Benjamin Cone gave sheets and pillow cases for the Latham Building, and Mr. and Mrs. John Lambert gave the Guests a beautiful television set.

The annual audit, showing all receipts and disbursements, was made by Mr. R. B. Spencer, C. P. A.

The additions to the Endowment fund were as follows: Eastern Star Chapters, $45.25; Garsed estate, $1,411.50; Hopkins estate, $2,416.15; and interest earned, $1,562.52. This gives us a total of $62,305.94.

LATHAM BUILDING FUND

Contributions and interest earned	$ 34,496.36
Grand Lodge of N. C., A. F. & A. M.	11,441.00
Current Operating Fund	2,688.19
Balance on Hand January 1	87,339.13
	$135,964.68

Disbursements amounted to $135,964.68.

Mrs. J. E. Latham owes a balance of $3,021.17 on her pledge. When this is paid the $2,688.19 listed above will be returned to the Current Operating fund.

OPERATING INCOME

Grand Lodge of N. C., A. F. & A. M.	$ 15,000.00
Subordinate Lodges	17,259.50
Grand Chapter of N. C., O. E. S.	21,506.53
Guests in the Home	4,834.28
Miscellaneous Income	1,762.15
Individual Donations	316.50
York Rite Bodies	100.00
Interest Permanent Fund	1,563.41
	$ 62,342.37

DISBURSEMENTS

Administrative and General	$ 8,841.05
Care of Guests	41,026.96
Fuel, Repairs, Grounds, Insurance	9,285.96
Cost of Guests in Home	$ 59,153.97
Home Aid Payments	3,188.40
	$ 62,342.37

Our average enrollment in the Home for the year was 63.09. Average enrollment on Home Aid was 17 2/3.

The per capita cost for Guests in the Home as compared with 1948 is as follows:

	1948	1949
Administrative and General	$ 146.27	$ 140.16
Care of Guests, Fuel, Repairs, etc	714.81	797.60
	$ 861.08	$ 937.76
Daily per capita cost per Guest	2.35	2.57

As we close this, our annual report, again we wish to express to all the Masons, Eastern Stars, and our host of other friends, our sincere and deep appreciation for their continued generous support. It is YOUR Home. Visit it often.

Fraternally yours,
WM. M. YORK, *Chairman of Board.*

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME

Brother George R. Bennette, Superintendent of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, made a brief verbal report on the Home.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME, INC.

(Docket No. 23)

The following report of the Committee on the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, Inc., was read, received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

An official visit to and inspection of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, Greensboro, was made April 2nd, 1950, and the Committee have the following report to make:

The Superintendent was absent on official business, but Miss Robertson supplied all necessary information relative to conditions and especially in connection with the new addition (Latham

Hospital), which has been in use for several months and is filling a great need in the care of patients requiring medical treatment and service that could not be supplied during the years previous to the completion of this building, and all rooms (with one or two exceptions) are and have been occupied, and the building with its modern equipment is a wonderful help in meeting a need that has been evident for some time.

Improvements were noted, especially in some of the equipment, fixtures and arrangement of space accommodations in the main building.

All buildings and grounds were in excellent condition and inspection revealed they were being kept in good repair.

The noonday meal was served while there and the food was well selected and prepared by a very competent force, but it was noted that some of the kitchen equipment, which has been in use for many years, will necessarily have to be replaced at an early date to meet the increased requirements in the most efficient manner; however, the diet kitchen and equipment in the new addition is in contrast, a model of efficiency, located in the basement or ground floor, includes a large portable cabinet with heating unit supplied by electric connections enables them to serve hot meals to all patients in the Hospital section direct from the diet kitchen or from the main building kitchen.

Masons and Eastern Stars now have an institution at Greensboro to accommodate the full quota of seventy guests in the best possible manner, the operation of which is under good management and supervision and is a pride to both orders.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) MURRAY C. ALEXANDER, *Chairman,*
J. T. C. WRIGHT,
W. L. BURKE,
JOEL J. FAULK.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE
OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INC.

(Docket No. 24)

The Board of Directors of the Oxford Orphanage, Inc., presented the following report which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage herewith submits its Annual Report to the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, which includes a detailed report of the Superintendent. We sincerely hope that each Mason in

North Carolina will be acquainted with the facts contained in this report to insure knowledge of the program of training at Oxford Orphanage.

The Board of Directors has held its regular meetings throughout the year and has kept constant vigilance upon the affairs of the Orphanage. The Executive Committee and the local Advisory Board in Oxford held its meetings and made regular reports to the Board.

The entire Masonic affiliation was most generous in its contribution to the Orphanage throughout the year and because of their abiding interest in the Orphanage we were able to satisfy our needs amply.

The Board of Directors wishes to express sincere appreciation to all the Masonic Lodges; the Grand Lodge; the various Masonic Bodies; Shrine Temples; and the Order of the Eastern Star for their continued vital interest in the welfare of the Orphanage and its children.

We also wish to express our very great appreciation to the State of North Carolina for its increased support and to the Duke Endowment for its continued approval and appropriation to our program.

The Orphanage again operated under maximum enrollment throughout the year which made it impossible to answer the calls for need in the lives of children and to accept many children who needed the opportunities offered at Oxford Orphanage. During the year we enrolled children from 69 counties of this state, of which 11% are children of Masonic parentage.

The Orphanage continues its program of maintaining the grounds, buildings, and equipment in the best possible condition to insure the maximum opportunities for wholesome nurture for its children.

The most urgent needs in the Orphanage plant are a cottage for small boys to replace the Walker Building; a gymnasium to properly conduct a physical education and recreational program; efficient vocational shops; an auditorium; and a library on a school program, along with the York Rite Memorial Chapel, which we anticipate erecting during the coming year.

The Board of Directors sincerely desires the Masons of North Carolina to visit the Oxford Orphanage and inspect its plant, life, and activities so each Mason may understand and appreciate the achievement of Free Masonry in the lives of the boys and girls.

Respectfully submitted,

Board of Directors of The Oxford Orphanage, Inc.,
WILKINS P. HORTON,
Grand Master,
and Ex-Officio Chairman,
LUTHER T. HARTSELL, JR.,
CHAS. P. ELDRIDGE,
T. J. HARKINS,
J. W. WINBORNE,
T. L. SIMMONS,
BENJAMIN CONE,
MILLARD F. MCKEEL,
WALLACE E. CALDWELL,
HERBERT M. FOY,
J. EDWARD ROOKER,
W. H. WHITE.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON OXFORD ORPHANAGE

(Docket No. 25)

The following report of the Committee on Oxford Orphanage was read, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

We, your committee on Oxford Orphanage, have made many visits to that institution during the past year and are happy to submit the following report:

The capable superintendent and his entire staff have at all times been most co-operative and it has been amazing to observe the skill and sincere efforts that each employee puts into their every contact. We commend them highly for realizing the importance of their activities, both day and night, as instructors and builders of character and their earnest and sincere Christian endeavors.

Your buildings and grounds are well kept and in excellent repair. The superb management of each department using the rotating system thereby giving each boy and girl an opportunity to learn a full-rounded program of the work and responsibility of the various duties by their actual help, make this a most instructive program. The specialized fields for the larger students offer excellent training in printing, electrical repairs, shoe department, farming and dairying; also, athletics and scouting. Without a doubt, the lessons learned here will prove beneficial in the future usefulness and happiness of every student and be reflected in their character for years to come. Frankly, we feel that the entire program covering the complete care, schooling and special assistance of each individual student make this a most commendable arrangement.

We understand certain needs are pressing for buildings and additional equipment and we feel confident that any expenditure will be used wisely by every member of the Orphanage staff. We recommend your earnest consideration of their request.

We urge every Mason in North Carolina to visit Oxford Orphanage and really get acquainted with our fine institution. To meet the entire staff will be very entertaining but to see those fine youngsters and how they live each day in such a clean, wholesome and truly Christian atmosphere, will make your heart glad to think, "I am a part of that great organization." Prove your loyalty and sincerity by visiting the Orphanage and helping in every way you can and you will be a better Mason by so doing.

Respectfully submitted,

H. C. WILSON, *Chairman,*
J. S. WATERS,
HARVEY W. SMITH,
W. L. BURKE,
CLARENCE H. PARKER.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BY-LAWS

(Docket No. 26)

The Committee on By-Laws presented the following report which was read, and upon motion, duly seconded, was adopted:

To The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Lodges reports that amendments and revision of by-laws of the following named lodges were considered by your Committee between March 15, 1949, and March 15, 1950:

PRELIMINARY BY-LAWS OF LODGES

U. D.:	APPROVED (Reg. 44-02(1)
Cherry Point	November 15, 1949
Fellowship	November 5, 1949

BY-LAWS COMPLETELY REVISED: APPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
St. John's	4	January 26, 1950
Charity	5	March 23, 1949
St. John's	13	December 17, 1949
Hiram	40	January 6, 1950
Greensboro	76	May 24, 1949
Morning Star	85	January 14, 1950
Jerusalem	95	November 5, 1949
Millbrook	97	October 22, 1949
Mount Lebanon	117	November 30, 1949
Franklinton	123	March 10, 1950
Gatesville	126	March 11, 1950
Cherokee	146	August 18, 1949
Pee Dee	150	January 9, 1950
White Stone	155	November 30, 1949
Archer	165	December 7, 1949
Colerain	171	June 6, 1949
Buffalo	172	January 20, 1950
George Washington	174	April 29, 1949
Mecklenburg	176	December 6, 1949
Central Cross	187	May 12, 1949
Long Creek	205	September 12, 1949
Mingo	206	June 20, 1949
Wilson	226	May 12, 1949
Corinthian	230	September 30, 1949
Mystic Tie	237	April 8, 1949
Wiccacon	240	June 30, 1949
Catawba	248	December 9, 1949
Kenly	257	May 18, 1949
Excelsior	261	December 9, 1949
Hibriten	262	November 22, 1949
Green Level	277	September 13, 1949
French Broad	292	July 6, 1949
Clay	301	September 28, 1949
Laurinburg	305	July 9, 1949
Fairview	339	January 13, 1950
Ashler	373	April 22, 1949
State Line	375	April 12, 1949
Pigeon River	386	February 15, 1950
Joppa	401	August 30, 1949
Ocean	405	April 28, 1949
North Wilkesboro	407	December 12, 1949
Bailey	411	December 22, 1949
Montgomery	426	June 15, 1949
Stokesdale	428	January 20, 1950
Marble Springs	439	May 18, 1949
Cliffside	460	November 28, 1949
Grimesland	475	April 23, 1949
Traphill	483	July 7, 1949

BY-LAWS COMPLETELY REVISED: APPROVED (Continued)

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
Hominy	491	March 6, 1950
Thos. M. Holt	492	October 19, 1949
Creedmoor	499	December 15, 1949
Red Springs	501	December 13, 1949
Unaka	506	October 20, 1949
Rodgers	525	November 8, 1949
Andrews	529	November 7, 1949
Mount Holly	544	December 19, 1949
Glenville	551	January 20, 1950
Vesper	554	May 12, 1949
Elise	555	November 18, 1949
Neil S. Stewart	556	November 3, 1949
Richlands	564	July 27, 1949
Snow Creek	571	November 30, 1949
Meadow Branch	578	June 14, 1949
Lowell	590	August 13, 1949
Queen City	602	November 3, 1949
Jeff L. Nelson	605	December 30, 1949
River Side	606	May 13, 1949
Zebulon	609	December 17, 1949
St. Patrick's	617	November 5, 1949
Goldsboro	634	April 12, 1949
Guilford	656	July 15, 1949
West Asheville	665	June 28, 1949
Kernersville	669	November 18, 1949
Pioneer	685	November 10, 1949

BY-LAWS COMPLETELY REVISED: DISAPPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE DISAPPROVED
St. John's	3	January 25, 1950
Caswell Brotherhood	11	March 3, 1950
Hall	53	March 3, 1950
Widow's Son	75	March 3, 1950
Zion	81	January 25, 1950
Lafayette	83	October 19, 1949
Fellowship	84	February 17, 1950
Perquimans	106	January 27, 1950
St. Alban's	114	April 25, 1949
Mill Creek	125	December 22, 1949
Mocksville	134	February 17, 1950
Junaluskee	145	March 2, 1950
Palmyra	147	January 27, 1950
Pee Dee	150	November 18, 1949
Wm. T. Bain	231	February 17, 1950
Lenoir	233	February 3, 1950
Pythagoras	249	February 23, 1950
Waynesville	259	November 15, 1949
Bingham	272	February 3, 1950

BY-LAWS COMPLETELY REVISED: DISAPPROVED (Continued)

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE DISAPPROVED
Eureka	283	October 24, 1949
Tally Ho	393	March 2, 1950
Siler City	403	March 3, 1950
Denton	404	February 28, 1950
Potecasi	418	March 3, 1950
Sonoma	472	March 2, 1950
Lawndale	486	March 3, 1950
Pilot Mountain	493	March 3, 1950
Cookville	502	December 24, 1949
Whetstone	515	November 3, 1949
Williams	538	February 28, 1950
Mount Pleasant	569	September 2, 1949
Apex	584	March 6, 1950
Union	618	October 20, 1949
Fort Bragg	667	October 20, 1949
Robbinsville	672	February 3, 1950
Acacia	674	March 3, 1950
Semper Fidelis	680	November 1, 1949

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS APPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED
Cherokee	146	December 6, 1949
Balfour	188	January 4, 1950
Corinthian	230	November 8, 1949
Excelsior	261	February 18, 1950
Bingham	272	December 21, 1949
Beaver Dam	276	January 6, 1950
Campbell	374	December 30, 1949
Lexington	473	July 11, 1949
Lawndale	486	April 7, 1949
Mooresville	496	June 3, 1949
Raleigh	500	October 11, 1949
Aulander	516	August 6, 1949
Joppa	530	April 1, 1949
Hollis	535	April 26, 1949
Doric	568	August 3, 1949
Mount Pleasant	569	April 8, 1949
Ashe	594	December 28, 1949
Waccamaw	596	May 12, 1949
Home	613	April 29, 1949
Round Peak	616	August 20, 1949
Guilford	656	August 1, 1949
Temple	676	June 18, 1949
Providence	678	February 20, 1950

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS: DISAPPROVED

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE DISAPPROVED
Caswell Brotherhood	11	December 3, 1949
Mount Lebanon	117	March 2, 1950
Catawba	248	August 2, 1949
Green Level	277	April 22, 1949
Lebanon	391	March 25, 1949
Bald Creek	397	January 25, 1950
Denton	404	October 5, 1949
Vesper	554	March 11, 1949

In each case of disapproval, the lodge was advised that it could appeal to the Grand Master and to the Grand Lodge from the action of this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. B. NEWCOMB, *Chairman,*
Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Lodges.

REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

(Docket No. 27)

The following report of the Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association was read and entered upon the record, and the recommendation relative to an appropriation was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

On Wednesday, February 22nd, 1950, at 10:00 A. M., the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association met in the Memorial Building on Shooter's Hill, Alexandria, Virginia. Dr. Elmer R. Arn of Dayton, Ohio, presided over the various sessions of the Association, and was re-elected President of the Association for the ensuing year.

From North Carolina there were in attendance upon these meetings Acting Grand Master Wallace E. Caldwell, Past Grand Master Hubert M. Poteat, Past Grand Master Charles P. Eldridge, Past Grand Master William J. Bundy, Past Grand Master Maxwell E. Hoffman, Worshipful E. T. Howard, Senior Grand Deacon, and Brother Harvey W. Smith. Past Grand Master Hoffman, by appointment of the Acting Grand Master, was substituting for Past Grand Master Thomas J. Harkins, who, on account of illness, was unable to attend the meeting.

There were reports, financial and otherwise, which showed the progress of the work and the financial condition of the Association. The reports were all very satisfactory and were enthusiastically received. Something over $200,000.00 in additions

to the building fund was shown to have been contributed by the Grand Lodges during the year. In addition, there was reported some $34,000.00 as contribution to the endowment fund. An effort will be made during the next few years to raise the endowment fund to a minimum of $1,000,000.00, which amount is thought by some to be sufficient to maintain the building and premises. The building is quite large and the grounds are extensive, and many think that it will ultimately require an endowment fund of approximately $3,000,000.00 to maintain and operate the property when it is completed. The huge dining hall has been completed, and although the elevator has been installed, it was not in operation during the meeting. It was noted that considerable work had been accomplished in beautifying the grounds.

The outstanding event of the meeting was the unveiling of the heroic statue of George Washington. This statue is now fixed in its permanent place in the western end of the Atrium opposite the main entrance to the Memorial Building. The statue stands some twenty-eight feet in height, and is made of bronze. This statue was furnished and directed by the Order of DeMolay under the direction of the Grand Council of that Order, and represents the contribution of the Order of DeMolay to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial. The ceremonies were in charge of the Grand Lodge of the Commonwealth of Virginia, and there were present a large number of Masonic dignitaries from various sections of the United States. The dedicatory address was delivered in the presence of a great concourse of Masons and friends by President Harry S. Truman, Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Missouri. Among the Masonic dignitaries present and taking part in the ceremony were the Heads of the Supreme Councils of the Scottish Rite for the Southern and Northern Jurisdictions of the United States and the chief officers of the National York Rite Grand Bodies.

The bronze statue presents a most inspiring impression. It shows George Washington, the first President of our Republic, clothed in his Masonic regalia; that is, apron and collar. Words of praise were heard on every hand for the Order of DeMolay for this most substantial and appropriate contribution to the Memorial Building.

North Carolina has completed its quota to the building fund and has fulfilled all of its obligations with respect thereto. However, from time to time as the Grand Lodge feels that it is financially able, it is recommended that a contribution be made to the endowment fund for the perpetual support and maintenance of the property.

Fraternally submitted,

THOS. J. HARKINS, *P. G. M., Representative.*

REPORT OF THE REPRESENTATIVE TO THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

(Docket No. 28)

The following report of the Representative to the Masonic Service Association of the United States was read and entered upon the record, the recommendation that this Grand Lodge continue its membership in the Masonic Service Association for the ensuing year was adopted, and the report was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The 31st annual meeting of the Masonic Service Association was held on Thursday, February 23rd, 1950, in the South American Room of the Hotel Statler in the city of Washington, D. C. Past Grand Master Maxwell E. Hoffman, by authority of the Acting Grand Master, Right Worshipful Wallace E. Caldwell, Deputy Grand Master, attended the sessions of the Masonic Service Association, substituting for Past Grand Master Thomas J. Harkins, the regular representative, who was, on account of illness, unable to be present.

The sessions of the Association were well attended, and the reports of the various committees were received. The principal item of business was the annual report of the Executive Commission. This report was very lengthy, and was presented by Past Grand Master Hubert M. Poteat, a member of the Executive Commission. The major portion of the report was devoted to the publication of facsimiles of various letters received from Veterans' Hospital authorities and individuals commending the Welfare Work of the Association. The report shows that thirty-three Grand Lodges hold membership in the Association, and the dues paid by them amounted to approximately $48,000.00 for the year. It appears from the report that only five Grand Lodges contributed to the European Masonic Relief Work of the Association in the total sum of $15,500.00. The Grand Lodge of North Carolina contributed $3,000.00 of this amount. The association collected from various Grand Lodges for Ecuador Masonic Relief the sum of $18,000.00. The Grand Lodge of North Carolina contributed $1,000.00 to this fund.

The condition of the funds for the respective activities of the Association appears to have been sufficient to sustain the activities of the Association except with respect to its Welfare or Hospital Visitation program. It appears that the Association maintains forty-three offices or establishments in various parts of the country located near hospitals of the Veterans' Administration. The cost of maintaining these agencies during the year was

$184,000.00, which includes salaries for field agents, field agents' expense allowance, automotive equipment, telephone and office supplies, rents, and gifts for patients, this latter item amounting to $36,500.00. It appears from the report that twenty-two of the Grand Lodges contributed to this fund only $79,000.00. Some of the larger Grand Lodges made no contribution to this work during the year. Consequently, a deficit of approximately $105,000.00 was created. This deficit rendered it necessary to draw on the surplus account for this department.

It will be recalled that there was completed in the early part of 1949 a canvass of all of the Symbolic Lodges in North Carolina for the purpose of ascertaining what use, if any, these Lodges were making of the Short Talk Bulletin. This bulletin is published once each month by the Association, and is mailed out to the Blue Lodges in the Jurisdictions which are members of the Association. As pointed out in the report, at the last communication of this Grand Lodge, the Short Talk Bulletins are of practically no use to the Lodges in this Jurisdiction. The canvass showed that less than 1% of the Lodges made any substantial use of these Short Talk Bulletins.

In an effort to improve the service of the Masonic Service Association to the Lodges of North Carolina, your representative, Brother Harkins, entered into extensive correspondence with Brother Carl Claudy, Executive Secretary of the Association, and with members of the Committee on Publications. At the recent meeting of the Association, your representative submitted certain suggestions which he felt would make this service of the Association of greater value to the Lodges of this State. The suggestions were approved by some members of the Committee on Publications who thought that the experiment might at least be worth trying.

The Short Talk Bulletins in their present form, which form has been maintained for the past twenty-five or thirty years, are too long to be read in Lodge, and not more than 1% of the Lodges in North Carolina are making any use of them. The suggestion which your representative made was that

> "Instead of a long article on a particular subject in each Bulletin, each Bulletin be made up of a number of short articles, under separate headings, which would convey to the members of the Lodge items of interest concerning the Fraternity. Unusual events of Masonic interest are occurring almost daily throughout the nation and in practically every jurisdiction, as is shown by the various Masonic publications. I think also that brief items covering incidents in the lives of the historical characters who were or are members of the Fraternity would prove to be of interest, and there could be included also brief items giving information that this or that personality of national or worldwide fame was a member of the Fraternity. This phase of the plan could cover states-

men, famous artists, musicians, public officials, military leaders, movie actors, business and industrial leaders, outstanding financiers, noted lawyers, doctors, scientists, authors and writers."

As stated, some members of the Committee on Publications approved this suggestion, but the Executive Commission at the recent meeting of the Association declined the suggestions and decided to continue the Short Talk Bulletins in their present form. Your representative is of the opinion that these Short Talk Bulletins in their present form have become stale and uninteresting, and he was hopeful that something might be done to improve this service to the Lodges of North Carolina that would justify its annual contribution to this phase of the Association's work. One of the objections of the Executive Commission was that the change would prove too expensive. This objection would seem hardly valid in view of the fact that the cost of these Short Talk Bulletins represent only about 10% of the amount which the Association collects annually from its member Grand Lodges for this purpose. This Short Talk Bulletin is the main direct service which the Masonic Service Association undertakes to render the individual Lodges, and it is the feeling of your representative that the present form of service, which is not being made use of by the Lodges, should be in some manner improved so as to become useful and of interest to the members of our Symbolic Lodges.

It is recommended that the Grand Lodge of North Carolina continue its membership in the Masonic Service Association for another year.

Fraternally submitted,

THOS. J. HARKINS, *P. G. M., Representative.*

REMARKS OF R.˙.W.˙.BROTHER RUDOLPH R. COOKE

The M.˙.W.˙.Grand Master recognized and presented R.˙.W.˙.Brother Rudolph R. Cooke, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Virginia.

R.˙.W.˙.BROTHER RUDOLPH R. COOKE:

Most Worshipful Sir, and Brethren of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina. It is indeed a happy privilege that I have of being back here again to be with you fine brethren. On this occasion, I have the privilege and very high honor of representing our Most Worshipful Grand Master, Most Worshipful Enoch D. Flowers, who is unable to be present on this occasion, and I can assure you, brethren, that it is a distinct disappointment to him not to be here, because he and the Deputy Grand Master are both natives of North Carolina. I know that he would be very happy to be back down here again. We both attended this Grand Lodge

last year, Most Worshipful, and had a most wonderful time. Your Grand Master announced that he did not let us talk last night, and he was going to let us do a little talking this morning.

I refer to this because, last night I had on one of those tuxedos, you know, with the stiff-front shirt, and the high collar, and I guess he thought we North Carolina boys could talk a little bit better when we didn't have on the stiff-front shirt and the high collar. One of my friends up in Virginia was introducing me some few weeks ago, and on that particular occasion, I was dressed in a tuxedo, and I think he was trying to take off on me a little bit, and he introduced me as being from North Carolina, down in the Dismal Swamp section. He said, "Brother Cooke hails from the Dismal Swamp section of North Carolina, and where he was born down there was way back off in the country, where the sun sets between his house and the mail box. He is up here tonight with one of those high collars on, where you have to stand on a stump to spit over it." So, I think perhaps Right Worshipful Brother Caldwell thought perhaps I might be able to talk a little better after I got out of that stiff-front shirt. Well, that is true. However, I told Brother Caldwell at the time, that I did not come down here to make a speech. I came down here to again be with the fine brethren of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina.

There are many reasons why I like to come to North Carolina. About 35 years ago, I migrated from the good old state of North Carolina, to our neighboring state of Virginia. I think when we Carolinians who migrated back in those days, the only place we knew to go to was north. Of course, they go now all over the world. But I migrated to Virginia. I got into Norfolk, and crossed over the river into Portsmouth, and there I have been ever since. I owe much to North Carolina as well as to Virginia. North Carolina for my birth, and raising me up to my manhood, of course, and Virginia, for giving me the opportunity of being made a Master Mason, and promoting me in line to the office of Deputy Grand Master. I now have a mother 76 years old, living over here in Martin County, North Carolina, a widow for the third time. I have a daughter, who graduated in the University of North Carolina, over at Chapel Hill, Most Worshipful Sir, and she is very happily married, and living in Chapel Hill, so you can understand why it is a great privilege to me to come back here to North Carolina and attend this session of the Grand Lodge. I have a wonderful time here, and I'm sure that all the visitors who have the opportunity and privilege of attending the Grand Lodge certainly appreciate the privilege of attending.

A friend of mine was talking to me some time ago about a conversation that he heard on one of the local buses. Passing between two of the ladies of a darker shade, who were sitting toward the rear end of the bus, he heard one of them say to the other one as she got on, "Amanda, you sho' is looking pale, the

palest I've ever seen, I believes yo' is sick, ain't ye?" She said, "I-I sho' hopes I is, 'cause if I ain't sick, there is sho' something wrong with me." So, if the visitors don't have a good time, they are either sick, or there is something wrong with them. Most Worshipful Sir, I appreciate very much the opportunity of just saying a few words to this group today, and I shall not say more.

REPORT OF THE LODGE SERVICE COMMISSION

(Docket No. 29)

The Lodge Service Commission made the following report which was read and entered on the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Lodge Service Commission respectfully submits the following report of its work during the past year:

1. The Commission has received inquiries from 27 lodges concerning the procedure required under Regulation 49-05(1), as they relate to lodge building programs; and in every case we have promptly furnished detailed information, with proper forms on which to file applications.

2. Applications filed by the following lodges have been approved and the lodges are at work on their programs:

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE APPROVED	REMARKS
Pee Dee	150	May 24, 1949	Debt not to exceed $1,200
Winston	167	August 18, 1949	No debt to be incurred
Long Creek	205	March 6, 1950	No debt to be incurred
Salem	289	August 18, 1949	No debt to be incurred
West Bend	434	August 12, 1949	No debt to be incurred
Roman Eagle	550	August 26, 1949	Debt not to exceed $4,500
Wallace	595	October 11, 1949	No debt to be incurred
Cranberry	598	October 11, 1949	Debt not to exceed $5,000
Pioneer	685	August 18, 1949	No debt to be incurred

3. Applications from the following lodges have been disapproved, and in each case the reasons for disapproval were fully stated to the lodge and it was notified that it had the right of appeal as provided in Regulation 49-08.

LODGE NAME	NO.	DATE DISAPPROVED
Vesper	554	November 9, 1949

4. We have again discovered several instances of defective titles to real estate on which lodges intended to erect their lodge buildings. Those titles had not been examined when the deeds were delivered and recorded.

5. Under the provisions of Chapter 36 of THE CODE, it has not been necessary for the Commission to hold a meeting to organize because the Grand Master names our Chairman and our

business has been conducted by correspondence as permitted under Regulation 36-02, except the business reported under Paragraph 8 of this report.

6. A matter pertaining to Cranberry Lodge No. 598 in connection with Elk Park Building Fund was referred to this Commission by Grand Master Horton for investigation and report. The report was made to him on October 24, 1949.

7. Acting Grand Master Caldwell requested the advice and opinion of this Commission in a matter pertaining to the Building Program of Wake Forest Lodge No. 282. The Commission reported to the Acting Grand Master as requested by him.

8. The matter of a Building Program of the lodges at Raleigh was discussed but action was deferred until after this Annual Communication.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. B. NEWCOMB, *P. G. M., Chairman,*
WATSON N. SHERROD, *P. G. M.,*
J. T. INGRAM, *P. M.,*
JAS. E. SHIPMAN, *P. G. M.,*
WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *P. G. M.*

REPORT OF THE GRAND LECTURER

(Docket No. 30)

The Grand Lecturer presented the following report, which was read, entered on the record, and the recommendations therein were referred to the Board of Custodians:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

This has been, I believe, an outstanding year in the improvement of ritualistic proficiency in the state. The statistics, showing the number of lodges receiving Lecture Service, the number of Certified Lecturers participating therein, and the number of candidates passing the examination to qualify as Certified Lecturer or Certified Instructor, are impressive and will, no doubt, be given in the report of the Board of Custodians, but these statistics alone do not tell the whole story. The quality of the work being done has improved as much as the quantity. There is more interest in ritualistic proficiency today than I have seen heretofore. The lodges are interested in improving their proficiency and the Certified Lecturers are giving freely of their time and talents in the Lecture Service.

This year the Board of Custodians, on my nomination, appointed five District Deputy Grand Lecturers. These men have done such an outstanding job that I am recommending to the Board that system be continued and expanded to cover the entire state.

There have been 27 Schools of Instruction held this year—more than ever before,—some districts holding as many as three.

It is my hope that next year at least one may be held in every district.

I must take this opportunity to publicly express my thanks and appreciation to the Board of Custodians, the District Deputy Grand Masters, the District Deputy Grand Lecturers, the Certified Lecturers and Instructors and all of the brethren throughout the whole jurisdiction who have been responsible for this improvement in ritualistic proficiency, for they are the men who have done the job.

I look forward with confidence to a continued and increased growth and interest in proficiency in ritualistic work for the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED C. KINZIE, *Grand Lecturer.*

REMARKS BY W.˙.BROTHER MILLARD F. ("MARSE") HILL

W.˙.Brother Millard F. ("Marse") Hill, a student at Oxford Orphanage from January 12, 1886, to March 10, 1893, and Manager of the Shoe Shop at Oxford Orphanage since September 1, 1899, was recognized by the Acting Grand Master, and delighted the Brethren assembled with the following remarks:

You can look in the Board of Directors' and Superintendent's Report and see if I resemble that picture. And I expect if you look on that, and see the dates of that picture, you'd say it was high time that man was played out, but I'm everything but played out.

He, the Acting Grand Master, said just five minutes, so I've got to talk fast, but I'll never forget September 11, of this past September, the celebration of my 50th Anniversary at The Oxford Orphanage as a worker, and I have always appreciated, and he knows I appreciate him, Brother Bundy, who was the main speaker on that occasion. He and his good wife drove all the way from Morehead City to Oxford to be the main speaker. After the meeting was over with, one of my brothers said to my wife, "Nora, did you know you had any such husband as that man described by the speaker," and my wife said, "well, brother, he just didn't know him, that is all." Brethren, I can't speak the words of appreciation for what The Oxford Orphanage has done for me. You see there, that I was admitted to the Orphanage on January 12, 1886, quite a long while ago; but I'll never forget that night, one of the coldest, bitterest nights that you ever felt, and I, a little 9-year-old boy. I walked from the depot up to the Orphanage in snow and sleet, but that night, when I went into the Superintendent's quarters, there in front of the big, nice, hot fire, and that good woman, the Superintendent's wife, took me in her lap, and held

my little feet and legs to that fire and warmed them. What a tender, loving feeling she had for an orphan child. It might be out of order to tell this other thing, but Brother Bundy, he heard it, and I think he laughed at it and some of the rest did too. I think I could truthfully say today that the Superintendent's wife would do likewise if it became necessary, but according to her age, and according to my age, it would be more appropriate for me to hold her in my lap and warm her little feet. And brethren, I will never forget the seven years' training I received at The Oxford Orphanage. During that seven years I received only one switching and that was for making the remark that my teacher was lazy. Of course I didn't make that remark in her presence but she found out about it later. You brethren may think that she shouldn't have switched me for that little offense, but I tell you brethren we little orphans can be disobedient, disrespectful and stubborn, just as other children can be, and we should be disciplined according to our acts just as other people's children are. You may have in your minds, what have you done for The Oxford Orphanage, and Masonry, not what they have done for you.

Brother Caldwell, don't call me down, please. I want to recall one or two incidents to show you what I did for The Oxford Orphanage and for Masonry. Sometimes an Institution of that kind gets into a little tight place, and they need assistance. I remember the middle of May, 1909, the Superintendent called me into his office, about 5 o'clock one evening. And by the way, the Superintendent has never asked me would I do so and so, he said do it, and I just went ahead and done it. Now he says, Hill, I had a letter a while ago from the manager of The Oxford Orphanage Singing Class. Some of you older people know all about how that Singing Class advertised and represented the Institution. He said, he is quitting tonight. There were 10 girls, four boys, and a lady down on the road at Calypso, North Carolina, and he said, I want you to get ready and get away on that train in the morning. He didn't ask me could I do it, or would I do it, he just said you get away on that train, and I went away on that train, and where is Brother Newcomb? I'll never forget the night that we visited Wilmington, they put on a great campaign down there that night, to see how many they could get in that auditorium; they had a large crowd. Now you'd think five dollars won't much to work for now, but the brother who sold the most tickets got five dollars, the next four, three, two, and one, and then if they did not get any of the money, they got tickets. So that auditorium was packed that night. As I said to the Grand Master, I was feeling good too, that night. Usually right in the middle of the concert, I would make a speech, and when I got up there to make my little speech, you know, here is something you Methodist preachers should know, if you preach up all of your sermons, it is all right to turn the barrel back up and start over again. So that night, I was feeling good, and I thought it would be all right to change

my talk. Yes, 1909, May, is when it was, a lot of you folks weren't born then, but when I got up to make that speech, I said to that audience, the great ocean liners may sink and go down to the bottom of the sea, but as long as God Almighty plants love in a man's and a woman's heart, the cry of an orphan child in North Carolina will be heard, and I believe until this day, that is a true statement, it would be heard. Not only did I serve in that capacity several times, but I also served as Superintendent of the Sunday School, and case worker. I'll tell you, brethren, I was to stay for a short time but do you know what he did? He made me stay over there for 10 weeks, but he is one of the greatest men you even saw. Superintendent Hicks told me he knew I was mighty conscientious about my duties and work; he says now when you leave here, Marse, don't you let that shoe department go into your mind at all. You just concentrate your mind on the Singing Class work. If the shop turns upside down we will be responsible. Well, now, he says, what have you done for Masonry? Now I've been working for two Institutions. Masonry for 47 years, and The Oxford Orphanage for 50 years.

I remember it was on Easter Monday, I had worked in my garden all that day, planting seed; somebody knocked on my door, just as I was retiring, and said, "Brother Hill, get up, we got to have you down at the lodge." He said, "We've got about 25 or 30 Masons down there and an old man from way out in the country that is due for the third degree and there isn't a single soul down there to put on the obligation of the third degree." He said, "You've got to get up and go down there." I got up and went down there, and went in the door, Past Grand Master B. S. Royster invited me in. He said, "Come in, Brother Hill, come in, you are certainly welcome here tonight, yes sir, we need you." I served there in that capacity. I reckon I conferred more degrees, conducted more funerals, in Granville County from 1915 to about 1935 or '38 than any living or dead man. Of course, I did a lot of work at The Oxford Orphanage while I was working for Masonry there. A fellow from the lodge over at Creedmoor came over after me one morning about 7 o'clock. He said, "Brother Hill, Brother Barnes died night before last," and he said, "we're going to have a Masonic Funeral this evening." Now, he never wore any of the purple of Masonry, but I'll tell you brethren, he was just as good as any Mason; he was a Mason, a good, loyal Mason, and he had told the brethren, that if he couldn't get a decent Masonic funeral, he didn't want it, but if he could get a decent one, he wanted it and was anxious to have it. Well, I was right busy that morning, and I said, "Well, Brother Rogers, look there and see the work that I've got; now how can I go?" "Well," he says, "I'll tell you right now, Brother Hill," he says, "some of that work can be put off until tomorrow. If you were running a business of your own, I wouldn't insist on you to go, but" he says, "whatever you can do for Masonry, you are doing for the Oxford Or-

phanage, and I feel like your time at Creedmoor this evening will be worth a great deal more than it will here in this shop." I said, "Brother Rogers, you've done and talked enough, just shut your mouth, and I'll be there at 3 o'clock," and I went there and I want to tell you what pay I got, and the greatest pay that any man has got. That widow, when the funeral was over, came over and put her hand up on my shoulder, and said, as she was crying, "Brother Hill, you don't know how much I appreciate your coming over here. I know if Billy could have heard this ceremony, he would have been highly pleased." And I want these brethren and everybody else to know, that you may look at that picture and think that according to the date that I've played out, but I'm not played out, I'm good for 25 or 30 years more. Thank you.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND

(Docket No. 31)

The following report of the Committee on Masonic Educational Loan Fund was read, received, entered on the record, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on the Masonic Educational Loan Fund submits herewith its Annual report as of December 31, 1949:

Only fifteen of the thirty-one institutions participating in the Fund have submitted annual reports of the condition of the fund. One of these carried very little information. Eight institutions have previously closed their acounts. The others do not report. Only three of the institutions reporting show additional loans during the year. For the most part, even the institutions reporting show no activity, either in loans or in collections. Many of the reports indicate the outstanding loans are uncollectable.

It appears that the usefulness of the Fund is practically ended and that any further recapture of funds still in the hands of the institutions will be relatively small.

The Fund now has Government bonds in the hands of the North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., amounting to $90,962.00 cost value with maturity value of $108,200.00. In addition to the bonds, the Fund has a cash balance of $1,850.25 as shown by the report of the Secretary which is attached and made a part of this report.

The original amount allotted to the thirty-one institutions participating in the Fund was $85,000.00. The amount repaid to Committee by these institutions is slightly in excess of the original amount. The amount repaid plus the interest received on bonds makes a total of $92,812.25 now held in bonds and cash as shown above.

Due to the inactivity of the Fund and the improbability of collecting any worth-while additional amount in the near future, we recommend that your Committee be instructed to liquidate the Fund as follows:

FIRST: That each participating institution be advised that any assets of the fund now in their hands be considered a donation from the Masonic Educational Loan Fund and that they need not make further reports to the Committee.

SECOND: That the available assets of the Fund be distributed in accordance with the direction of this Grand Lodge at its regular 1951 session.

THIRD: That the Committee prepare and submit a final report at the next Annual meeting of this Grand Body.

Respectfully submitted,

C. B. SHULENBERGER, *Chairman,*
MILLARD F. MCKEEL, *Secretary,*
THOMAS J. HARKINS, *P. G. M.,*
ROSS SHUMAKER.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND COMMITTEE

RECEIPTS AND BANK BALANCE, 1949

RECEIPTS:

June 4, 1949, N. C. Masonic Foundation, Interest	$ 473.75
July 22, 1949, E. C. T. C., Note	235.00
Sept. 2, 1949, N. C. Masonic Foundation, Interest	523.75
Dec. 20, 1949, N. C. Masonic Foundation, Interest	50.00
Feb. 20, 1950, N. C. Masonic Foundation, Interest	473.75
Total	$ 1,756.25
Bank Balance, Jan. 1, 1949	94.00
Bank Balance, March 1, 1950	$ 1,850.25

Courteously submitted,

MILLARD F. MCKEEL, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR

(Docket No. 32)

Brother Robert B. Spencer, Certified Public Accountant, Auditor, made the following report which was referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

BRETHREN:

I herewith present my Eighth Annual Report as Auditor of the Grand Lodge for the year ending December 31, 1949.

As directed by the Grand Lodge, I have audited the financial records of the Grand Lodge and its subsidiary agencies. Separate reports have been rendered thereon and filed with the proper officers.

All securities, except those held by banks, in trust funds, were examined.

Financial officers are bonded and the bonds current.

As usual, the financial affairs were found to be ably administered, and all records well kept.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT B. SPENCER,
Certified Public Accountant,
Auditor, The Grand Lodge of
A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina.

RESOLUTION

(Docket No. 33)

William G. Hill Lodge No. 218 submitted the following preamble and resolution which was referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

WHEREAS: It is the considered opinion of the Officers and Members of William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, A. F. & A. M., that the conditions and circumstances concerning the proposed amendments to the 1948 Code, as presented by the representatives of William G. Hill Lodge No. 218 and reported in the 1949 Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, Docket No. 24, pages 144-145, have not changed;

*Therefore be it Resolved: That the proposed amendments to the 1948 Code as reported in the Proceedings of 1949, Docket No. 24, pages 144-145, be adopted by the 1950 Grand Lodge Communication.

S—J. J. CROWDER, *Master,*
S—E. G. BARKER, *Senior Warden,*
S—L. D. HARDY, *Junior Warden.*

April 19, 1950.

* (SEE Report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Pages 169 and 170 of these Proceedings).

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE

(Dockets Nos. 34, 35, 36, and 37)

The following four proposals to amend THE CODE, presented by William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, were read

and referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence.

By and under the authority of Section 111-01(2) of the 1948 Code the undersigned respectfully submit the following amendments to the 1948 Code for action by the 1950 Communication of the Grand Lodge:

*1—AMEND REG. 85-03 to read as follows:

Reg. 85-03. A brother who becomes a member of a lodge after February first shall not be charged a full year's dues but a prorata part thereof, however, the per capita tax shall be excluded from said proration.

*2—AMEND REG. 76-26 to read as follows:

Reg. 76-26. Each petition or application requiring a secret ballot shall be balloted on separately; multiple ballot boxes, each bearing the name of a single petitioner or a single applicant shall not be construed as a violation of this regulation.

*3—AMEND REG. 79-17 to read as follows:

Reg. 79-17. Two or more lodges having similar work shall not hold simultaneous communications in the same lodge room, each one doing its work separately in part of the degree and jointly in the remainder; provided, communications on Masonic Education or for the purpose of the installation of Officers shall not be construed a violation of this regulation.

*4—AMEND REG. 75-08 to read as follows:

Reg. 75-08. The Master may grant a Committee of Investigation more time to complete an investigation.

S—J. J. CROWDER, *Master*,
S—E. G. BARKER, *Senior Warden*,
S—L. D. HARDY, *Junior Warden*,
For William G. Hill Lodge No. 218.

* (SEE Report of Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence on Page 169 of these Proceedings).

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON OXFORD ORPHANAGE COTTAGE FUND

(Docket No. 38)

The following report was made by W.˙.Brother Adam A. Husman, P. M., Chairman of the Special Committee on Oxford Orphanage Cottage Fund, and upon his motion the report was received and the recommendation therein was adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The following is the present status of the Oxford Orphanage Cottage Fund which was solicited for the purpose of building a dormitory for the larger boys at the Orphanage and to be designated as the "Master's Cottage." The total amount received to date is $23,797.32.

Brothers A. D. Leon Gray, T. L. Simmons, Thomas G. Powell, and Adam A. Husman have been named as a committee to obtain suitable plans for a building.

Suitable plans have been approved by this Committee, for a building for smaller children than was at first intended and there is not to be an arch over the doorway bearing the words "Masters' Cottage," however, that is not important because we are interested primarily in erecting a building at the Orphanage at the earliest possible date to relieve the congested condition there.

I recommend that all moneys received for the Oxford Orphanage Cottage Fund be promptly delivered over to the Treasurer of Oxford Orphanage to be applied to erecting and equipping a building for the children there, and that the appeal for additional funds for that purpose be continued until such building has been completed.

Respectfully submitted,

ADAM A. HUSMAN, *P. M., Chairman.*

GRAND SECRETARY'S NOTE: In accordance with the recommendation contained in the above report, as adopted by the Grand Lodge, Check No. 1 of the *Oxford Orphanage Cottage Fund,* drawn on Security National Bank, Raleigh, North Carolina, dated April 20, 1950, in the amount of $23,797.32, was made payable to "Treasurer of Oxford Orphanage, Incorporated." The said check (signed by Wallace E. Caldwell, Grand Master; W. L. McIver, Grand Secretary; and A. A. Husman), containing a notation to the effect that it was "for total amount of moneys received for the Oxford Orphanage Cottage Fund," endorsed by "Treasurer of Oxford Orphanage, Inc., M. E. Parham, Treasurer," is in the Grand Secretary's files relative to the Oxford Orphanage Cottage Fund.

—W. L. M.

REPORT OF THE CUSTODIAN OF THE JOHN C. DREWRY MEMORIAL GRAND SECRETARY FUND

(Docket No. 39)

The following report of the Custodian of the John C. Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary Fund was read, entered on the records, and referred to the Committee on Finance:

STATEMENT

SECURITY NATIONAL BANK OF GREENSBORO

Custodian of the Drewry Memorial Grand Secretary Fund of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, A. F. & A. M.

December 30, 1948 - December 30, 1949

1 9 4 8 **INCOME**

		Disbursements	Receipts
Dec. 30	Cash balance on hand	$	$ 455.67
1 9 4 9			
Jan. 17	By dividend $2.25 on 55 shares capital stock American Tel. and Tel. Company		123.75
19	To W. L. McIver, Grand Sec., income on hand	455.67	
Feb. 16	By dividend $.45 on 252 shares common B stock R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company		113.40
Mar. 11	By dividend $1.00 on 25 shares common stock Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Company		25.00
16	By dividend $1.00 on 15 shares conv. pfd. stock American Woolen Company		15.00
16	By dividend $.40 on 75 shares common stock Consolidated Edison Company of New York		30.00
April 1	By semi-annual interest 1¼% on $1,000 U. S. Savings Bonds, Series G, due April 1, 1955		12.50
15	To W. L. McIver, Grand Sec., income on hand	319.65	
16	By dividend $2.25 on 55 shares capital stock American Tel. and Tel. Company		123.75
May 3	By dividend $.75 on 140 shares capital stock Pennsylvania R. R. Company		105.00
16	By dividend $.45 on 252 shares common B stock R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company		113.40
June 1	By semi-annual interest 2¼% on $5,000 Atlantic Coast Line Gen. Unified Mtg. 4½% Bonds of June 1, 1964		112.50
13	By dividend $1.00 on 25 shares common stock Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Company		25.00
15	By semi-annual interest 1⅜% on $500 American Tel. and Tel. Company 2¾% conv. debenture of December 15, 1961		6.88
16	By dividend $1.00 on 15 shares conv. pfd. stock American Woolen Company		15.00
17	By dividend $.40 on 75 shares common stock Consolidated Edison Company of New York		30.00
July 15	By dividend $2.25 on 55 shares capital stock American Tel and Tel. Company		123.75
15	To W. L. McIver, Grand Sec., income on hand	531.53	
Aug. 15	By dividend $.45 on 252 shares common B stock R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company		113.40
Sept. 12	By dividend $1.00 on 25 shares common stock Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Company		25.00
16	By dividend $.40 on 75 shares common stock Consolidated Edison Company of New York		30.00
16	By dividend $1.00 on 15 shares conv. pfd. stock American Woolen Company		15.00
Oct. 1	By semi-annual interest 1¼% on $1,000 U. S. Savings Bonds, Series G, due April 1, 1955		12.50
17	To W. L. McIver, Grand Sec., income on hand	319.65	
17	By dividend $2.25 on 55 shares capital stock American Tel. and Tel. Company		123.75
Nov. 16	By dividend $.45 on 252 shares common B stock R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company		113.40
Dec. 1	By semi-annual interest 2¼% on $5.000 Atlantic Coast Line Gen. Unified Mtg. 4½% bonds of June 1, 1964		112.50
12	By dividend $1.00 on 25 shares common stock Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Company		25.00
12	By dividend $.50 on 65 shares common stock Pennroad Corporation		32.50
15	By semi-annual interest 1⅜% on $500 American Tel. & Tel. Co. 2¾% conv. debenture, due Dec. 15, 1961		6.87

	Disbursements	Receipts
16—By dividend $.40 on 75 shares common stock Consolidated Edison Company of New Jersey		$ 30.00
16—By dividend $1.00 on 15 shares conv. pfd. stock American Woolen Company		15.00
28—By dividend $.20 on 252 shares common B stock R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company		50.40
30—Cash balance on hand	509.42	
	$2,135.92	$2,135.92

PRINCIPAL

1948		
Dec. 30—Cash balance on hand	$	$ 135.77
1949		
July 8—By sale of 55 American Tel. and Tel. Company rights at $1.16		63.80
Dec. 30—Cash balance on hand	199.57	
	$ 199.57	$ 199.57

Commission due Custodian:
2½% on income receipts of $1,680.25 ..... $42.01

In addition to the above cash balances on hand, we hold the following securities:

$1,000.00 U. S. Savings Bonds, Series G, due April 1, 1955.
$500.00 American Tel. and Tel. Company 2¾% conv. debenture of December 15, 1961.
$5,000.00 Atlantic Coast Line R. R. General Unified Mtg. bond, due June 1, 1964.
55 shares American Tel. and Tel. Company, capital stock.
15 shares American Woolen Company, $4.00 cum. conv. pfd. stock.
25 shares Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Company, common stock.
75 shares Con. Edison Company of New York, Inc., common stock.
65 shares Pennroad Corporation, common stock.
140 shares Pennsylvania R. R. Company, capital stock.
252 shares R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, common B stock.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, Inc.

(Docket No. 40)

The following report of the Directors of The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, was read and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Directors of The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, respectfully present the following report of income, disbursements, assets and liabilities of the Permanent Fund, the B. F. Moore Legacy, the Masonic Temple Construction Company, Inc., and the Masonic Educational Loan Fund, for each of which the Foundation is the Custodian, and which constitutes its entire business for the calendar year ending December 31, 1949:

PERMANENT FUND—1949

The attached exhibits are taken from the report of the Auditor for the calendar year 1949 and we have retained identification of the exhibits for convenience. They present fully and in detail

the record of our transactions and, therefore, we use these exhibits as a part of our report.

1: The statement of receipts and disbursements will be found on Exhibit "H" (pages 1 and 2).

2: The inventory of investments in government bonds will be found on Exhibit "I."

3: The inventory of investments in corporate bonds will be found on Exhibit "J" (pages 1 and 2).

4: The inventory of investments in corporate stocks will be found on Exhibit "K" (pages 1 and 2).

5: The statement of assets and liabilities will be found on Exhibit "G."

B. F. MOORE LEGACY

We use the exhibit of the Auditor in presenting the details of our handling of these funds, for the same reason stated above.

1: The statement of assets and liabilities, and the statement of receipts and disbursements will be found on Exhibit "L."

The principal of the account ($1,000.00), having been delivered to the Foundation in accordance with the order of the Grand Lodge at the Annual Communication in 1948 (SEE Proceedings for 1948, page 165), was invested in one United States Government Bond, Series "G" (No. M6415375G).

We report that the income on this account in the sum of $25.00 has been paid to Oxford Orphanage in accordance with the provisions of the will of our late Brother Bartholomew Figures Moore.

MASONIC TEMPLE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, Inc.

We use Exhibit "M" of the Auditor's Report to the Grand Lodge for the purpose of showing the status of the assets of the Masonic Temple Construction Company, Incorporated, the Grand Lodge having ordered at the Annual Communication in 1948 that "all monies and securities in the hands of the Masonic Temple Construction Company, Inc., be turned over to The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., for investment with other General Funds of the Grand Lodge." (SEE Proceedings for 1948, page 165). The assets indicated on Exhibit "M," being $8,000.00 in United States Government Bonds, have been delivered to the Foundation.

MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND—1949

We use the exhibits of the Auditor in presenting the details of our handling of these funds, for the same reason stated above (SEE PERMANENT FUND—1949).

1: The statement of receipts and disbursements will be found on Exhibit "O."

2: The inventory of assets, consisting of United States Government Bonds, will be found on Exhibit "P" (pages 1, 2, and 3).

3: The statement of assets and liabilities of this account will be found on Exhibit "N."

We report that the income on this account in the sum of $1,047.50 has been paid to Brother Millard F. McKeel, Secretary of the Masonic Educational Loan Fund Committee.

GRANT DONATION—1949

We use Exhibit "Q" of the Auditor's Report to show the status of this Fund, the entire amount of the same being deposited in the Foundation's account in Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Raleigh, N. C.

For complete information on this subject, we refer you to the reports of the Committee on Finance on page 187 of the Proceedings for 1947, and on page 165 of the Proceedings for 1948. Due to the fact that the amount ($500.00) was not delivered to the Foundation during the year 1948, the same was again set up in the budget of the Grand Lodge at the Annual Communication of 1949 (SEE page 182 of the Proceedings for 1949), and it was delivered to and received by the Foundation during the year 1949.

COMBINED STATEMENT

A statement showing the assets and liabilities of the Permanent Fund, the B. F. Moore Legacy, the Masonic Temple Construction Company, Inc., the Masonic Educational Loan Fund, and the Grant Fund will appear on Schedule "A" attached.

INCOME, PROFITS AND DISBURSEMENTS

We believe that the several exhibits and schedules submitted herewith show in sufficient detail the source of income and profits, and the objects of the disbursements. It will be noted, however, that total income from investments was $27,587.83, and that expenses amounted to $2,133.49, leaving a net balance of $25,454.34 which was added to the surplus.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD

The Annual Meeting of the Board of Directors was held in the office of the Grand Secretary on Monday evening, April 17, 1950, at 8:00 oclock. Directors present were Herbert C. Alexander, P. G. M., President; Arthur W. Madison, Vice-President; Watson N. Sherrod, P. G. M.; and Luther T. Hartsell, Jr., P. G. M. Wilbur L. McIver, Secretary-Treasurer, but not a Director, was also present. At this meeting the following officers were elected:

*President*_____HERBERT C. ALEXANDER
*Vice-President*_____ARTHUR W. MADISON
*Secretary-Treasurer*____WILBUR L. MCIVER

GENERAL

The affairs of the Foundation have had careful and constant

supervision by the Directors, and they report that all of the securities of the Foundation are in the safe deposit box of the Foundation at Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Raleigh, N. C.; that the Vice-President and the Secretary-Treasurer are Joint Custodians of the safe deposit box; and that all checks are signed by the Secretary-Treasurer, and countersigned by either the President or the Vice-President. Since January 1, 1946, the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company, Raleigh, N. C., has been the depository for funds of the Foundation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT C. ALEXANDER, *President,*
ARTHUR W. MADISON, *Vice-President,*
WATSON N. SHERROD,
LUTHER T. HARTSELL, JR.,
WILLIAM P. LITTLE,
*WILBUR L. MCIVER, *Secretary-Treasurer.*

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, Inc.
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1949

ASSETS

CASH

Permanent Fund		$ 23,053.04	
Grant Fund		500.00	
			$ 23,553.04

INVESTMENTS

Permanent Fund:			
(a) Bonds:			
U. S. Government	$291,573.44		
Corporate	126,574.69		
		$418,148.13	
(b) Corporate Stocks		282,487.32	
			700,635.45
B. F. Moore Legacy:			
U. S. Government Bond			1,000.00
Masonic Temple Construction Company, Inc.:			
U. S. Government Bonds			8,000.00
Masonic Educational Loan Fund:			
U. S. Government Bonds			108,200.00

OTHER ASSETS

Permanent Fund:	
Accrued Dividends Receivable	5,159.03
TOTAL ASSETS	$846,547.52

* Not a Director.

LIABILITIES

Net Worth, Permanent Fund	$728,847.52
Due to B. F. Moore Legacy:	
U. S. Government Bond	1,000.00
Due to Masonic Temple Construction Company, Inc.:	
U. S. Government Bonds	8,000.00
Due to Masonic Educational Loan Fund:	
U. S. Government Bonds	108,200.00
Due to Grant Fund:	
Cash in Bank	500.00
TOTAL—NET WORTH AND LIABILITIES	$846,547.52

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERMANENT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 1949

Exhibit "G"

ASSETS:		
CASH:		
Wachovia Bank & Trust Company—(Schedule 2)	$ 16,252.04	
Raleigh Building & Loan Association	6,801.00	$ 23,053.04
INVESTMENTS:		
Government Bonds—(Exhibit "I")	$291,573.44	
Corporate Bonds—(Exhibit "J")	126,574.69	
Stocks—(Exhibit "K")	282,487.32	700,635.45
OTHER ASSETS:		
Accrued Dividends Receivable		5,159.03
TOTAL ASSETS:		$728,847.52
LIABILITIES:		
Liabilities		—0—
SURPLUS:		
Balance January 1, 1949	$678,393.18	
ADD:		
Net Income—(Exhibit "H")	25,454.34	
Cash Transferred from General Fund	25,000.00	
SURPLUS DECEMBER 31, 1949		728,847.52
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS		$728,847.52

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERMANENT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

INCOME

12 Months Ended December 31, 1949 Exhibit "H"

INCOME:	Cash	Accrued	Total
Aetna Insurance Company	$ 220.00	$	$ 220.00
Aberdeen & Rockfish Railroad Company	390.00		390.00
Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company	200.00		200.00
American Rolling Mill Co., The	450.00		450.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co. (Dividends)	900.00		900.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co. (Coupons)	22.01	62.33	84.34
American Tobacco Co., The (Dividends)	200.00		200.00
American Tobacco Co., The (Coupons)	150.00	150.00	300.00
Blue Bell, Inc.	240.00		240.00
Borden Co., The	270.00		270.00
Briggs Manufacturing Company	300.00		300.00
Budd Company, The	500.00		500.00
Cannon Mills Company	600.00	150.00	750.00
Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Rwy. Co.	120.00	120.00	240.00
Carolina Power & Light Company	572.50		572.50
Chase National Bank, The	160.00		160.00
Chesapeake & Ohio Rwy. Co., The	300.00		300.00
Chrysler Corporation	525.00		525.00
Commercial Credit Company	270.00	130.00	400.00
Con. Edison Co. of N.Y., Inc. (Div.)	240.00		240.00
Con. Edison Co. of N.Y., Inc. (Coupons)	30.00	30.00	60.00
Duke Power Company (Dividends)	400.00		400.00
Duke Power Company (Coupons)		215.70	215.70
Electric Auto-Lite Co., The	300.00		300.00
General Motors Corporation	800.00		800.00
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	400.00		400.00
Illinois Terminal R. R. Co.	160.00		160.00
International Harvester Company	510.00		510.00
Int. Minerals & Chemical Corp.	300.00	100.00	400.00
Irving Trust Company	160.00		160.00
Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Co.	109.90		109.90
Koppers Company, The	150.00	150.00	300.00
Kress & Company, S. H.	300.00		300.00
Kroger Company, The	350.00		350.00
Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company	250.00	250.00	500.00
Lone Star Cement Corporation	450.00		450.00
Mack Trucks, Inc.	—0—		—0—
May Department Stores Company	300.00		300.00
North Carolina Railroad Company	350.00		350.00
Pennsa. Co., for Banking & Trusts, The	175.00		175.00
Phillips Petroleum Company	360.00		360.00
Piedmont & Northern Rwy. Company	262.50	262.50	525.00
Procter & Gamble Company, The	800.00		800.00
Pullman Incorporated	200.00		200.00
Raleigh Building & Loan Asso.	166.89		166.89
Reynolds Tobacco Co., R. J.	234.00	26.00	260.00
Seaboard Air Line Railroad Company	400.00		400.00
Socony-Vacuum Oil Company	125.00	125.00	250.00
Southern Railway Company	100.00	100.00	200.00
Standard Oil Company of Kentucky	290.00		290.00
Standard Oil Company (N. J.)	421.00		421.00
Texas Company, The	382.50		382.50
Treasurer of the U. S. (G)	1,450.00		1,450.00
Treasurer of the U. S. (Coupons)	2,500.00	3,125.00	5,625.00
Union Carbide & Carbon Corp.	600.00		600.00
United Fruit Company	400.00		400.00
U. S. Pipe & Foundry Company	600.00		600.00
United States Rubber Company	300.00		300.00
Walworth Company	162.50	162.50	325.00
West Virginia Pulp & Paper Co.	300.00		300.00
Woolworth Company, F. W.	250.00		250.00
TOTAL REVENUE	$22,428.80	$ 5,159.03	$27,587.83

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERMANENT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

EXPENSES

12 Months Ended December 31, 1949 **Exhibit "H"**

EXPENSES:			
Standard & Poor's Annual Div. Section For H. C. Alexander, Pres.	$ 2.40	$	$
Accrued Interest $51.51; Commission $37.50 On Duke Power Co. Bonds Bought	89.01		
Wisconsin Tax on Allis-Chalmers Div.	2.71		
Phone Calls to H. C. Alexander, Pres.	2.81		
Standard & Poor's Outlook Service For H. C. Alexander, President	65.00		
Accrued Interest U. S. Bonds Bought	288.77		
Fidelity Bond Premiums	600.00		
Secretary-Treasurer—Services	1,000.00		
Safe Deposit Box Rent	18.00		
A. W. Madison—Expenses in connection with Security Transactions	14.79		
Stenographic Work for President	50.00		
TOTAL EXPENSES	$ 2,133.49	$	$ 2,133.49
NET INCOME (TO EXHIBIT "G")			$25,454.34

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERMANENT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN GOVERNMENT BONDS

December 31, 1949

EXHIBIT "I"

		Cost
U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS—SERIES "G":		
No. M300128G Dated December 1941	$ 1,000.00	
No. M300129G Dated December 1941	1,000.00	
No. M300130G Dated December 1941	1,000.00	
No. M300131G Dated December 1941	1,000.00	
No. M300132G Dated December 1941	1,000.00	$ 5,000.00
No. V250393G Dated April 1943	$ 5,000.00	
No. V250394G Dated April 1943	5,000.00	
No. V250395G Dated April 1943	5,000.00	15,000.00
No. V267899G Dated July 1943		5,000.00
No. V455098G Dated May 1944	$ 5,000.00	
No. V455099G Dated May 1944	5,000.00	
No. V455100G Dated May 1944	5,000.00	15,000.00
No. X868826G Dated June 1948		10,000.00
U. S. GOVERNMENT COUPON BONDS:		
No. 148646F 2½% 1967-72	$ 10,000.00	
No. 148647H 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 148648J 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 148649K 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 148650L 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
(Interest June 15 - December 15)	$ 50,000.00	52,218.75
No. 886F 2¼% 1959-62	$100,000.00	
(Interest June 15 - December 15)		102,328.13
No. 210035E 2½% 1967-72	$ 10,000.00	
No. 210036F 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 210037H 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 210038J 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 210039K 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 210040L 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
(Interest June 15 - December 15)	$ 60,000.00	61,800.00
No. 72981A 2½% 1967-72	$ 5,000.00	
No. 96493C 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
No. 96298J 2½% 1967-72	10,000.00	
	$ 25,000.00	
(Interest June 15 - December 15)		25,226.56
TOTAL—(TO EXHIBIT "G")		$291,573.44

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERMANENT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN CORPORATE BONDS—December 31, 1949

EXHIBIT "J"

NAME OF COMPANY	DESCRIPTION	Date Issued	Denomination	COST
Aberdeen & Rockfish R. R. Co., Nos. 29-40, Inclusive	1st Mortgage 3¼%	7- 1-45	$1,000.00	$ 12,420.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. D. 31-747	15 Year Conv. Debenture 2¾%	12-15-46	500.00	500.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. C. 288-974	10 Year Conv. Debenture 2¾%	12-15-47	100.00	100.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. D. 42-550	10 Year Conv. Debenture 2¾%	12-15-47	500.00	500.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. M. 256-422	10 Year Conv. Debenture 2¾%	12-15-47	1,000.00	1,000.00
American Tobacco Co., Nos. 3134-4124-9451-30942-30943-30944-30945-81775-81776-81777	Debenture 3%	10-15-44	1,000.00	10,637.50
Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Ry., Nos. M6180-M18021-M18022-M18023-M18024-M18025	1st Mortgage 4%, Series "A"	9- 1-40	1,000.00	6,532.50
Consolidated Edison Co. of New York, Inc., Nos. TM47712-TM47713	3% Conv. Debentures	6- 1-48	1,000.00	2,095.94
Illinois Terminal Railroad Co., Nos. M599-1322-7678-7679	25 Year 1st Mortage, Series "A"	7- 1-45	1,000.00	3,980.00
Koppers Company, Inc., Nos. 22838 to 22847, Incl.	1st Mortgage 3% Series	10- 1-44	1,000.00	10,550.00
Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co., Nos. 1438-1439-4265-7947-7968-11705-11710-11713-11714-11717	5% Gold	12- 1-11	1,000.00	11,525.00
Piedmont & Northern Railway Co., Nos. M209-10-11-12-13-M2986-7-8-9-M4978-9-M6198-9-M6200	1st Mortgage 3¾%	12- 1-36	1,000.00	14,725.00
Seaboard Air Line Railroad Co.,	1st Mortgage 4's	1- 1-46		
Nos. D-2-3-4-5			500.00	
Nos. M8160-7, Incl.			1,000.00	10,100.00
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Nos. 80836-80845, Incl.	30 Year Debenture 2½%	6- 1-46	1,000.00	9,912.50
Southern Railway Co., Nos. 8154-53888-56619-58534-58741	Devel. and General Mtg. 4% Gold Series "A"	4-18-06	1,000.00	5,100.00
Walworth Co., Nos. 200-201-202-203-3080-6259-6260-6261-6262-6263	Conv. Debentures 3¼%	5- 1-46	1,000.00	9,950.00
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. C. 61-121	10 Year Conv. Debenture 3⅛%	6-20-49	100.00	
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. C. 61-122	10 Year Conv. Debenture 3⅛%	6-20-49	100.00	
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. D. 9-654	10 Year Conv. Debenture 3⅛%	6-20-49	500.00	
American Tel. & Tel. Co., No. T. M. 10-667	10 Year Conv. Debenture 3⅛%	6-20-49	1,000,00	1,702.50
Duke Power Co., Nos. T. D. M. 22883-22897, Incl.	1st and Refunding M'tg'e, 2⅞% Series	2- 1-49	1,000.00	15,243.75
TOTAL—(TO EXHIBIT "G")				$126,574.69

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERMANENT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN STOCKS—December 31, 1949

EXHIBIT "K"

ISSUED BY	NUMBER SHARES	CERTIFICATE NUMBER	KIND	COST
Aetna Insurance Company	100	94808	C	$ 4,500.00
Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Company	100	NC26914	C	3,575.00
American Rolling Mill Company	50	N0111925	C	1,956.25
American Rolling Mill Company	50	N0120045	C	1,812.50
American Rolling Mill Company	50	N0123680	C	1,450.00
American Rolling Mill Company	30	N0156186	C	— 0 —
American Tel. & Tel. Company	34	A508471	C	6,543.64
American Tel. & Tel. Company	66	A524438	C	10,939.50
American Tobacco Company, The	50	CC136173	C	4,600.78
Blue Bell, Inc.	400	B561	C	9,500.00
Borden Company, The	100	C56116	C	4,850.00
Briggs Mfg. Company	100	NY54054 — C	C	3,375.00
Budd Company, The	10	NYP04507	Pfd	830.00
Budd Company, The	90	NYP04441	Pfd	7,470.00
Cannon Mills Company	50	T033691	C	3,349.68
Cannon Mills Company	50	035793	C	2,943.75
Cannon Mills Company	100	TC800	C Class B	— 0 —
Carolina Power & Light Company	50	P08513	$5 Pfd	5,250.00
Carolina Power & Light Company	50	P08540	$5 Pfd	5,950.00
Carolina Power & Light Company	3	P010985	$5 Pfd	165.00
Carolina Power & Light Company	23	P011182	$5 Pfd	2,564.50
Chase National Bank, The	100	H151948	C	3,450.00
Chesapeake & Ohio Ry. Company	100	268633	C	5,350.00
Chrysler Corporation	100	D55493	C	4,550.00
Commercial Credit Company	100	C62614	C	4,425.00
Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y., Inc.	100	C231334	C	2,872.66
Consolidated Edison Co. of N. Y., Inc.	50	405023	C	1,436.34
Duke Power Company	50	C011335	C	5,172.00
Duke Power Company	12	C011764	C	990.00
Duke Power Company	5	C011878	C	427.13
Duke Power Company	33	C012826	C	2,730.75
Electric Auto-Lite Company, The	100	N40	C	5,300.00

General Motors Corporation	100	D849-042	C	$ 5,800.00
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, The	50	NC146823	C	3,287.50
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, The	50	O NC154148	C	2,725.00
International Harvester Company, The	100	O HN139089)		
International Harvester Company, The	100	HC54973)	C	7,187.50
International Harvester Company, The	100	HC54974)		
International Minerals & Chem. Corp.	100	P1709	4% Cum. Pfd	8,687.50
Irving Trust Company	100	AC88409	C	
Irving Trust Company	100	AC88410	C	3,200.00
Jefferson Standard Life Ins. Company	157	11521	C	1,130.40
Kress & Company, S. H.	100	H15455	C	5,325.00
Kroger Company, The	50	NC2189	C	2,400.00
Kroger Company, The	50	O NC8203	C	2,200.00
Lone Star Cement Corporation	100	O N27796	C	6,575.00
Mack Trucks, Inc.	100	C70683)		
	100	C70684)	C	4,700.00
Masonic Temple Construction Company	100		C	* 10,000.00
May Department Stores Company	40	C022291	C	1,760.00
May Department Stores Company	60	C026316	C	2,760.00
N. C. Railroad Company	10	8614	C	2,000.00
N. C. Railroad Company	40	8618	C	8,000.00
Pennsylvania Co. for Banking and Trusts	100	C25043	C	3,450.00
Phillips Petroleum Company	100	353427	C	5,650.00
Phillips Petroleum Company	20	0540837	C	980.00
Procter and Gamble Company, The	100	NY83140	C	6,600.00
Procter and Gamble Company, The	100	NY83646	C	6,700.00
Pullman Inc.	50	NF327984	C	3.093.75
Pullman Inc.	50	NF333251	C	2,681.25
Reynolds Tobacco Company, R. J.	30	D04877	C	1,340.40
Reynolds Tobacco Company, R. J.	100	D2819	C	4,468.29
Standard Oil Company of Kentucky	100	E80805	C	3,000.00
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	100	B743664	C	6,912.50
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	2	CC574699	C	— 0 —
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	2	CC826228	C	— 0 —

* Carried on books at par pending Liquidation or further instructions from The Grand Lodge.

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

PERMANENT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN STOCKS—December 31, 1949

Exhibit "K"—Continued

ISSUED BY	NUMBER SHARES	CERTIFICATE NUMBER	KIND	COST
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	110-200 of 1	E194051	Scrip	$ —0—
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	100-200 of 1	D170017	Scrip	—0—
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	2	3C78821	C	—0—
Standard Oil Company of N. J.	16-200 of 1	F196316	Scrip	—0—
Texas Campany, The	100	T155250	C	6,000.00
Texas Campany, The	2	T0369579	C	—0—
Texas Company, The	100-200 of 1	S20-11670	Scrip	—0—
Union Carbide and Carbon Corp.	100	A288747)	C	
Union Carbide and Carbon Corp.	200	732445)	C	9,387.50
United Fruit Company	100	M85673	C	5,162.50
U. S. Pipe and Foundry Company	50	O112412	C	2,937.50
U. S. Pipe and Foundry Company	50	O114114	C	2,143.75
U. S. Pipe and Foundry Company	50	O114194	C	1,950.00
U. S. Rubber Company	100	C72739	C	5,325.00
West Va. Pulp and Paper Company	100	C11580	C	3,737.50
Woolworth Company, F. W.	100	WT305322	C	4,900.00
		0		
TOTALS—(TO EXHIBIT "G")				$ 282,487.32

The Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina

B. F. MOORE LEGACY

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

Assets And Liabilities

December 31, 1949

Exhibit "L"

ASSETS:	
U. S. Government Bonds	$ 1,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$ 1,000.00
LIABILITIES:	
Liabilities	$ —0—
Surplus December 31, 1949	1,000.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS	$ 1,000.00
RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS:	
RECEIPTS—Interest on Bonds	$ 25.00
DISBURSEMENTS—Paid to Oxford Orphanage	$ 25.00

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

MASONIC TEMPLE CONSTRUCTION COMPANY

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 1949 Exhibit "M"

ASSETS:		
*U. S. Government Bonds		$ 8,000.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$ 8,000.00
LIABILITIES		
Liabilities		—0—
NET WORTH:		
Capital Stock	$ 10,000.00	
Surplus—Deficit—January 1, 1949	2,000.00	8,000.00
(No Change During Year)		
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH		$ 8,000.00

*Note: All Assets of The Masonic Temple Construction Company have been transferred to The Grand Lodge with the exception of the Bonds shown above. These are "G" Bonds in the name of the Masonic Temple Construction Company. In order to transfer them they would have to be redeemed at a loss hence they are still carried as Assets of the Masonic Temple Construction Company.

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 1949 — Exhibit "N"

ASSETS:		
Investment in Bonds—(Exhibit "P")		$108,200.00
TOTAL ASSETS		$108,200.00
LIABILITIES:		
Liabilities		—0—
SURPLUS:		
Balance January 1, 1949	$101,800.00	
ADD:		
Bonds Received from Masonic Loan Fund Committee—Maturity Value	6,400.00	
SURPLUS DECEMBER 31, 1949		$108,200.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS		$108,200.00

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

12 Months Ended December 31, 1949 Exhibit "O"

RECEIPTS:	
Interest on Government Bonds	$ 1,047.50
DISBURSEMENTS:	
M. F. McKeel, Secretary Masonic Educational Loan Fund	$ 1,047.50
BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1949	$ —0—

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN BONDS

December 31, 1949

Exhibit "P"

		Maturity Value
U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS—SERIES "G":		
No. V268178G Dated August 1943	$ 5,000.00	
No. V268179G Dated August 1943	5,000.00	
No. V268180G Dated August 1943	5,000.00	
No. V268181G Dated August 1943	5,000.00	
No. V268182G Dated August 1943	5,000.00	
No. V268183G Dated August 1943	5,000.00	$ 30,000.00
No. M1785002G Dated August 1943	$ 1,000.00	
No. M1785003G Dated August 1943	1,000.00	
No. M1785004G Dated August 1943	1,000.00	
No. M1785005G Dated August 1943	1,000.00	
No. M1785006G Dated August 1943	1,000.00	
No. M1785007G Dated August 1943	1,000.00	
No. M1785008G Dated August 1943	1,000.00	7,000.00
No. C1659236G Dated August 1943	$ 100.00	
No. C1659141G Dated August 1943	100.00	
No. C1659142G Dated August 1943	100.00	
No. C1659143G Dated August 1943	100.00	
No. C1659144G Dated August 1943	100.00	
No. C1659145G Dated August 1943	100.00	
No. C1659146G Dated August 1943	100.00	
No. C1659147G Dated August 1943	100.00	
No. C1659148G Dated August 1943	100.00	900.00
No. D1601059G Dated November 1944	$ 500.00	
No. D1601060G Dated November 1944	500.00	
No. D1601061G Dated November 1944	500.00	
No. D1601062G Dated November 1944	500.00	
No. D1601063G Dated November 1944	500.00	
No. D1601064G Dated November 1944	500.00	
No. D1601065G Dated November 1944	500.00	
No. D1601066G Dated November 1944	500.00	4,000.00
U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS—SERIES "F":		
No. V277375F Dated July 1946	$ 5,000.00	
No. V277376F Dated July 1946	5,000.00	
No. V277377F Dated July 1946	5,000.00	15,000.00
No. D593195F Dated July 1946	$ 500.00	
No. D593196F Dated July 1946	500.00	
No. D593197F Dated July 1946	500.00	
No. D593198F Dated July 1946	500.00	
No. D593199F Dated July 1946	500.00	
No. D593207F Dated July 1946	500.00	3,000.00
No. M1338497F Dated August 1946	$ 1,000.00	
No. M1338498F Dated August 1946	1,000.00	2,000.00
No. V277458F Dated August 1946		5,000.00
No. D617498F Dated October 1, 1946	500.00	
No. M1371887F Dated October 1, 1946	1,000.00	
No. M1371888F Dated October 1, 1946	1,000.00	
No. V282108F Dated October 1, 1946	5,000.00	7,500.00
No. D632530F Dated March 1947	$ 500.00	
No. M1422656F Dated March 1947	1,000.00	
No. D632556F Dated March 1947 (Cost $370.00)	500.00	
No. M1422813F Dated March 1947 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	
No. M1422814F Dated March 1947 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	4,000.00
FORWARDED:		

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

INVESTMENT IN BONDS

December 31, 1949 Exhibit "P"

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS—SERIES "F": (Continued)		
No. M1423040F Dated April 1947 (Cost $740.00)	$ 1,000.00	
No. V283342F Dated April 1947 (Cost $3,700.00)	5,000.00	$ 6,000.00
No. D632671F Dated May 1947 (Cost $370.00)	$ 500.00	
No. M1434598F Dated May 1947 (Cost $733.34)	1,000.00	
No. M1434599F Dated May 1947 (Cost $733.34)	1,000.00	
No. M1434600F Dated May 1947 (Cost $733.34)	1,000.00	3,500.00
No. D632737F Dated June 1947 (Cost $370.00)	$ 500.00	
No. M1434881F Dated June 1947 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	
No. M1434882F Dated June 1947 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	2,500.00
No. C1658289F Dated October 1947 (Cost $74.00)	$ 100.00	
No. C1658290F Dated October 1947 (Cost $74.00)	100.00	
No. C1658291F Dated October 1947 (Cost $74.00)	100.00	
No. C1658304F Dated October 1947 (Cost $74.00)	100.00	
No. D633053F Dated October 1947 (Cost $370.00)	500.00	
No. M1456381F Dated October 1947 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	1,900.00
No. D641331F Dated March 1948 (Cost $370.00)		500.00
No. V283921F Dated March 1948 (Cost $3,700.00)		5,000.00
No. M1532539F Dated June 1948 (Cost $740.00)	$ 1,000.00	
No. M1532540F Dated June 1948 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	
No. M1532541F Dated June 1948 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	
No. M1532542F Dated June 1948 (Cost $740.00)	1,000.00	4,000.00
No. C1701549F Dated January 1949 (Cost $74.00)	$ 100.00	
No. C1701550F Dated January 1949 (Cost $74.00)	100.00	
No. C1701551F Dated January 1949 (Cost $74.00)	100.00	
No. C1701552F Dated January 1949 (Cost $74.00)	100.00	400.00
No. M1563326F Dated January 1949 (Cost $740.00)	$ 1,000.00	1,000.00
No. V284288F Dated January 1949 (Cost $3,700.00)	$ 5,000.00	5,000.00
TOTAL—(TO EXHIBIT "M")		$108,200.00

THE GRAND LODGE OF A. F. & A. M. OF NORTH CAROLINA

TAYLOR GRANT FUND

The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Inc., Custodian

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

December 31, 1949

Exhibit "Q"

ASSETS:	
Cash in Bank—(Schedule—2)	$ 500.00
TOTAL ASSETS	$ 500.00
LIABILITIES:	
Liabilities	—0—
SURPLUS:	
Surplus—December 31,1949	$ 500.00
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS—DECEMBER 31, 1949	$ 500.00

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON GRAND LODGE QUARTERS OR BUILDING

(Docket No. 41)

The following report of the Special Committee on Grand Lodge Quarters or Building, presented by M.·. W.·.Brother Watson N. Sherrod, P. G. M., Chairman of the Special Committee and Chairman of the Committee on Finance, was unanimously adopted, that part having to do with an appropriation being referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Committee on Building and Quarters wish to submit the following report:

We met in the Grand Secretary's office on Friday morning, January 13, 1950, with every member of the Committee present. At this meeting we had the pleasure of having with us a representative committee from each of the several Masonic Bodies in the City of Raleigh, with Brother Edwin W. Yates as their spokesman. At the request of the Chairman of our Committee, the Brethren from Raleigh were requested to present any plan which they might have for the construction of a Masonic Temple in Raleigh, whereby the Grand Lodge might have permanent quarters, and still be within a reasonable expenditure by the Grand Lodge. The Raleigh Brethren proposed to erect a Masonic Temple suitable to accommodate their own Bodies and the Grand Lodge, including the Grand Secretary's office, Library and Auditorium, provided the Grand Lodge advanced the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars ($225,000.00), as a rental. This rental to be amortized over a period of forty years. After lengthy discussion, your Committee were unanimous in declining the offer of our Raleigh Brethren, as we could not see how it would be to the advantage of the Grand Lodge to invest that amount as a rental for a period of forty years.

Your Committee held its second meeting on Monday afternoon, April 17, 1950, in the Grand Secretary's office with all members present. At this meeting there were present Mr. Asher and Mr. Friedbauer of The Georgelm Realty Incorporated, owners of the quarters now occupied by the Grand Lodge. Your Committee requested Mr. Asher and Mr. Friedbauer for a price on the quarters now occupied by the Grand Lodge under lease as Grand Secretary's office and Library, plus Room 501. A lengthy discussion followed with the lessors finally agreeing to rent us the abovementioned quarters as per the following agreement:

> "We agree to renew our lease with Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina beginning at the end of our

present lease for the space on the 5th floor now embraced in the lease which is now operative plus Room 501 for 5 years at an annual rental of $4,500.00.

"This April 17, 1950. Done at Raleigh, N. C.

"GEORGELM REALTY INC.

"BY ELMER FRIEDBAUER"

We your Committee believe that the above rental is the best that can be secured and recommend it be accepted by the Grand Lodge and proper officials of the Grand Lodge be authorized to execute lease as per above resolution.

Appreciating that the lease on lodge quarters on the Sixth Floor expired with 1951, and that the Masonic Bodies of Raleigh would probably have no place to hold their meetings, your Committee received a commitment from the GEORGELM REALTY INCORPORATED upon a price for an additional lease for five years of $6,500.00. Your Committee therefore recommended that the Grand Lodge advise the Raleigh Bodies of the above offer for their guidance in negotiations with the GEORGELM REALTY INCORPORATED provided they should be interested.

Your Committee recommends that the incoming Grand Master be empowered to appoint a Committee to continue investigation of possibilities of securing a lot, and plans for the future erection of quarters necessary for the Grand Lodge.

Respectfully submitted,

WATSON N. SHERROD, *P. G. M., Chairman,*
MAXWELL E. HOFFMAN, *P. G. M.,*
H. C. ALEXANDER, *P. G. M.,*
J. C. HOBBS, *P. G. M.,*
H. W. PRINCE, *P. M.*

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF MASONIC CEREMONIES

(Docket No. 42)

The following report of the Special Committee on Revision of Masonic Ceremonies was read and adopted, that part having to do with an appropriation being referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Practically no changes were suggested in the ceremonies except where necessary or advisable to comply with the provisions of the Code. Most of the changes and additions were in the instructions in an effort to make them more definite and easily understood.

The ceremonies as mimeographed and mailed to the lodges contained a few obvious discrepancies and errors, which have been

corrected. Also certain changes have been suggested, some of which definitely added to the effectiveness of the ceremonies and were therefore adopted by the committee.

As it would take several hours to read, discuss, and adopt the ceremonies today, the committee suggests that a copy of the corrections of the mimeographed ceremonies be mailed to the lodges for their consideration and reaction with any suggestions or changes they wish to make to be mailed to the committee before January 1, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,

HUGH W. PRINCE, *Chairman,*
J. F. LYNCH,
LESTER H. GILLIKIN.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF MASONIC FUNERAL SERVICE

(Docket No. 43)

The following report of the Special Committee on Revision of Masonic Funeral Service was read by W.·. Brother Robert L. Pugh, Junior Grand Deacon, and unanimously adopted:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

WHEREAS, The revised version of the Funeral Service has been prepared and distributed to the various lodges throughout the Grand Jurisdiction as requested by the Grand Lodge at its Annual Communication in April, 1949; and

WHEREAS, Its distribution was delayed to such an extent that the brethren have not had ample time to give it a careful analysis and to make recommendations for changes; and

WHEREAS, Since such a service is of such importance in that it will probably be used for many years to come, and in its use, will, in large measure, advertise the Fraternity to the profane; and

WHEREAS, It should therefore have the benefit of some experimental use before its adoption for use throughout the Grand Jurisdiction;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Grand Lodge adopt the revised Funeral Service for optional use during the coming year, to be used experimentally by the lodges during this period; and the brethren to be requested to make their recommended changes to the Grand Secretary or to the Committee on or before January 1, 1951, in order that they may file a final form for approval at the next Annual Communication.

ROBERT L. PUGH, *Chairman,*
LESTER H. GILLIKIN,
HARRISON KAUFFMAN.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS OF THE GRAND LODGE

The Acting Grand Master announced that the time for the election of officers of the Grand Lodge had arrived and he appointed the following tellers:

W.˙.Brothers R. Norris Hoyle (248); Ralph E. Cashion (261); Haywood S. King (319); Biver E. Grant (5); Rufus H. Harrell (284).

The election resulted as follows:

Grand Master	WALLACE EVERETT CALDWELL (408) Chapel Hill
Deputy Grand Master	HERBERT MILES FOY (322) Mount Airy
Senior Grand Warden	WILLIAM HENRY WHITE (151) Sanford
Junior Grand Warden	EDWIN TURLINGTON HOWARD (344) High Point
Grand Treasurer	HERBERT CLAUD ALEXANDER, P. G. M. (31) Charlotte
Grand Secretary	WILBUR LEROY MCIVER (151) Raleigh

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF THE MASONIC AND EASTERN STAR HOME, INC.

Brother L. M. Johnson (542) and M.˙.W.˙.Brother Charles P. Eldridge, P. G. M., (218) were elected to succeed themselves on the Board of Directors of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, Inc., for terms expiring in 1955. M.˙.W.˙.Brother William J. Bundy, P. G. M., (284) was elected to fill the unexpired term of Brother Charles M. Gueth (344), deceased, the said term expiring in 1952.

ELECTION OF DIRECTOR OF OXFORD ORPHANAGE, INC.

M.˙.W.˙.Brother Luther T. Hartsell, Jr., P. G. M., (32) was elected to succeed himself on the Board of Directors of Oxford Orphanage, Inc., for a term expiring in 1955.

ELECTION OF MASONIC TEMPLE COMMITTEE

The Grand Master-elect nominated, and the Grand

Lodge unanimously confirmed, the following to be members of the Masonic Temple Committee:

Wallace E. Caldwell (408), *Grand Master, Chairman ex officio;* Herbert M. Foy (322), *Deputy Grand Master, ex officio;* William H. White (151), *Senior Grand Warden, ex officio;* Edwin T. Howard (344), *Junior Grand Warden, ex officio;* Frank I. Watson (40), *Vice-Chairman;* Clarence B. Shulenberger (500); Wilbur L. McIver (151), *Grand Secretary;* J. Marvin Mangum (210); Charles B. Newcomb (1); Charles P. Eldridge (218); Harrison Kauffman (40); Edwin W. Yates (218); Millard F. McKeel (104); D. Ernest Bulluck (602); Lawrence G. Jordan (584); Julius C. Hobbs (1); Roscoe E. Shumaker (40); and Craven E. Harrington (500).

ELECTION OF DIRECTOR OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONIC FOUNDATION, INC.

W.˙.Brother William P. Little, P. M., (218) was elected to succeed himself on the Board of Directors of The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, for a term expiring in 1955.

ELECTION OF REPRESENTATIVE TO GEORGE WASHINGTON MASONIC NATIONAL MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION

M.˙.W.˙.Brother Thomas J. Harkins, P. G. M., (118) was elected to succeed himself as Representative to the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association.

ELECTION OF REPRESENTATIVE TO THE MASONIC SERVICE ASSOCIATION

M.˙.W.˙.Brother Thomas J. Harkins, P. G. M., (118) was elected to succeed himself as Representative to the Masonic Service Association of the United States.

PETITION FOR CHARTER ANGIER LODGE U. D.

(Docket No. 44)

The petition of Angier Lodge U. D. for a charter was read, and referred to the Committee on Charters and

Dispensations. (SEE Report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations for action taken thereon, and SEE Page 184 of the APPENDIX to these Proceedings for a *facsimile* of the said petition. SEE *facsimile* of the Charter issued in the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1951).

PETITION FOR CHARTER FELLOWSHIP LODGE U. D.

(Docket No. 45)

The petition of Fellowship Lodge U. D. for a charter was read, and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations. (SEE Report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations for action taken thereon, and SEE Page 187 of the APPENDIX to these Proceedings for a *facsimile* of the said petition. SEE *facsimile* of the Charter issued in the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1951).

PETITION FOR CHARTER CHERRY POINT LODGE U. D.

(Docket No. 46)

The petition of Cherry Point Lodge U. D. for a charter was read, and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations. (SEE Report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations for action taken thereon, and SEE Page 190 of the APPENDIX to these Proceedings for a *facsimile* of the said petition. SEE *facsimile* of the Charter issued in the APPENDIX to the Proceedings for 1951.)

PETITIONS FOR CONCURRENT JURISDICTION

(Docket No. 47)

The petitions of Ocean Lodge No. 405 and Cherry Point Lodge U. D. for concurrent jurisdiction over Newport, North Carolina, were read and referred to the Committee on Charters and Dispensations. (SEE Report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations for action taken thereon, and SEE Pages 191 and 192 of the APPENDIX to these Proceedings for *facsimiles* of the said petitions.)

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON RELIEF OF EUROPEAN MASONRY

(Docket No. 48)

The following report of the Special Committee on Relief of European Masonry was read and referred to the Committee on Finance:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Committee on Relief of European Masonry recommends the appropriation of $2,000.00, or such part thereof as may be necessary for this purpose, to be spent at the discretion of the Grand Master.

WALLACE E. CALDWELL, *D. G. M.,*
Acting Grand Master, Chairman,
HERBERT M. FOY, *Senior Grand Warden,*
WILLIAM H. WHITE, *Junior Grand Warden.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHARITY

(Docket No. 49)

The Committee on Charity presented the following report, which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHARITY

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

As Chairman of the Committee on Charity of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, during the year 1949, I recommended that financial aid be given in the following cases, in the amounts stated, to-wit:

3-28-49	Mrs. William S. Creighton—(Widow of Brother William S. Creighton)—Phalanx Lodge No. 31, Charlotte	$ 50.00
5- 3-49	Miss Sarah Jones—(Daughter of deceased member of Wm. T. Bain Lodge No. 231)—Wake Co.	100.00
6-24-49	Brother Carmie Everette Phillips—Holland Memorial Lodge No. 668, Gastonia	75.00
6-29-49	Brother C. C. Fulcher—Wanchese Lodge No. 521, Manteo	100.00
7-18-49	Mrs. Edmund S. Pedigo—(Widow of Brother E. S. Pedigo)—William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, Raleigh	100.00
8-12-49	Mrs. S. D. Baroody—(Wife of Brother S. D. Baroody)—Louisburg Lodge No. 413, Louisburg	100.00
9- 1-49	Masonic Service Association—Special Donation to Masonic Relief of Ecuador	1,000.00

12-15-49—Mrs. Jennie Hoyle Phillips—(Widow of Brother Carmie Everette Phillips)—Holland Memorial Lodge No. 668, Gastonia	75.00
TOTAL	$1,600.00

Fraternally submitted,
RICHARD D. TURNER, *Chairman.*

INVITATION OF UNIVERSITY LODGE NO. 408 TO HOLD 1951 ANNUAL COMMUNICATION AT CHAPEL HILL

W.˙.BROTHER GLENN T. PROFFIT, MASTER OF UNIVERSITY LODGE NO. 408: We, of University Lodge No. 408, extend an invitation to The Grand Lodge of North Carolina to hold its next Annual Communication at Chapel Hill. Chancellor Robert B. House of the University at Chapel Hill joins with University Lodge in extending this invitation and offers the facilities of the University for this occasion. Since the University of North Carolina has been closely identified with Masonry, I think it fitting that we accept this invitation. I move that we accept this invitation.

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER: Brethren, it has been moved and seconded that the 1951 Annual Communication of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina be held at Chapel Hill. That motion requires and calls for a written ballot.

I must say one or two things about the invitation. We see the need, and it is very fitting, to have the Grand Lodge to meet in Chapel Hill. The University is in a way a child of the Grand Lodge to a very large extent, and the original buildings that are laid out, East, West, and South, with the well in the center, and the old well has a Masonic insignia on it. The only question that arises about the meeting in Chapel Hill, we can meet in the Memorial Hall, which will be adequate for the meeting, and can be tyled by police officers who are Masons. We can probably have some smaller meetings, maybe over in the Planetarium. There are plenty of places for committee meetings, in the Planetarium or in the Carolina Inn. The manager of the Carolina Inn told me that they are making extensive alterations in the Inn, and he

hopes to be able to take care of about 400 people by next spring. It is always possible for quite a number to be taken care of in private homes. If you write in advance to Professor Drummond, who is in charge of that sort of thing at the University, he can make arrangements for you, but I should warn you that if the crowd comes, and I think it is very apt to come, we may spill over, and some of you might have to stay at the Washington Duke or the Malbourne Hotels in Durham, which is twelve miles away. For those of you who come in cars, I don't think that would be too great a hardship. I've been promised that Wednesday afternoon over there, we will have seats for a baseball game, we will have a lacrosse game. for those of you who have never seen it, we will have a tennis match, and a show at the Planetarium. I think we can give you a good time in Chapel Hill, and I hope very much that the Grand Lodge will see fit to vote that the next Annual Communication shall be held at the University of North Carolina, in Chapel Hill, on invitation of University Lodge No. 408. We want you to vote simply *yes* or *no* on these ballots when you get them.

GRAND LODGE VOTES TO HOLD 1951 ANNUAL COMMUNICATION AT CHAPEL HILL

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER: A majority of the brethren having voted *yes,* I declare the motion carried. Accordingly, the 1951 Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge will be held at Chapel Hill.

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER: Brethren, I will now recognize R.˙.W.˙.Brother L. Wade Temple, Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina, and we will be glad to hear from him at this time.

REMARKS OF R.˙.W.˙.BROTHER L. WADE TEMPLE

R.˙.W.˙.BROTHER L. WADE TEMPLE: Most Worshipful Grand Master and Brethren of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, I am here as Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of South Carolina, representing our Most Worshipful Brother Homer Pace, Grand Master, and 41,500 Master Masons in our Grand Jurisdiction. Our Grand Master wishes to extend to you fraternal greetings and best wishes, and asked me to express his

regrets since he is not able to be here, due to previous commitments.

A few days ago, I was in a telephone conversation with your Grand Secretary, and during this conversation he casually mentioned the fact that he presumed that I was a married man. I didn't know what prompted him, but it recalled to my mind a rather interesting incident that happened to me back in 1931, whenever I had returned to Lake View to resume my practice in medicine. One of the first patients that I had came from Robeson County, North Carolina. She was a grand old lady, which these moderns would probably call the old-fashioned type. She was dressed in a stiffly starched, lovely checked apron, and on her head was a homemade bonnet tied with a tiny hemstitched thread, running back and forth. She pushed her bonnet back over her head and she said, "Are you the new doctor down here?" I assured her that I was and, with a most profound professional bow, I asked her if I could be of any service to her. She said, "Doctor, sit down just a minute. I would like to ask you a question." She said, "Are you a married man?" I assured her that I was right much so; that is, if I understood the officiating minister correctly, and as further evidence, I would be glad to call the boss down to corroborate my statement. She said, "No, that is all right, I just wanted to be sure. I never could bear the idea of any of these single doctors working on me." I don't know what conversation transpired between your Grand Secretary and the Most Worshipful Grand Master in extending an invitation to me. Possibly they were just as cautious in inviting me to your Grand Communication as the lady was in connection with her own personal physician.

I've always had a warm spot in my heart for North Carolina. My home is only one mile south of this great state, and I have had numerous occasions to have fraternal relationships with many Master Masons in Fair Bluff, Fairmont, and Lumberton, North Carolina. It was my good fortune to attend the medical school of the University at Chapel Hill, and my father was a native of Wake County, in the State of North Carolina. Little did I realize that I would come back to you, some 22 years

later, to represent South Carolina's Masons. I do certainly appreciate the many courtesies that have been shown me, and the facilities which have been provided for my comfort. I shall return to my own Grand Jurisdiction with many happy memories, and many inspired thoughts. Thank you.

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER: Brethren, I am happy to recognize at this time Right Worshipful Brother Walter E. Soderstrom.

REMARKS OF R.·.W.·.BROTHER WALTER E. SODERSTROM

R.·.W.·.BROTHER WALTER E. SODERSTROM: Most Worshipful Grand Master, distinguished guests, brethren of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, I think that you have done a great job, you have elected a great leader; a man who showed himself last night in that splendid address he delivered. He didn't talk to the high brass. He took the meat of the Good Book and spread it before you, and I submit that if he is going to carry on in that fashion, Masonry can well be proud of Most Worshipful Brother Caldwell.

These are troublesome days. The world is upset. You hear about isms and red flags and all kinds of things. I was particularly pleased to hear that The Grand Lodge of North Carolina is closely tyling its doors. We can well be proud, brethren, of the forty-five thousand Masons of North Carolina. We can be proud of the three hundred thousand in New York, the three million throughout the country. We need, today, that great foundation. We need that great flag. We need leaders who will give their time. You brethren who are the leaders in your districts and in your lodges, have a challenging opportunity. The greatest obligation of Freemasonry today is to see to it that every newly-made Master Mason when he rises from our Altars recognizes that he has a chance for a full opportunity of life. Masonry has a great job to do. I'm sure that the Great Architect of the Universe recognizes that when brothers come together they don't come together to gossip, they come together because they love one another. God gave his only begotten Son that whosoever

believed in Him might have eternal life. We come together because we love one another. I'm sure that my heart has been filled to overflowing to have the privilege of coming to you gentleman and sharing this great occasion with you. Thank you very much.

CALLED FROM LABOR TO REFRESHMENT

The minutes were read and approved. Prayer was offered by Reverend Brother A. D. Leon Gray, Superintendent of Oxford Orphanage, and the Grand Lodge was called from Labor to Refreshment until 7:30 o'clock this (Wednesday) evening.

SECOND DAY—NIGHT SESSION

The Grand Lodge was called from Refreshment to Labor by the Acting Grand Master, R.·.W.·.Brother Wallace E. Caldwell, at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening, April 19, 1950. Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain. The minutes of the previous session were read for information.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(Docket No. 52)*

* No Dockets No. 50 or 51.—W. L. M.

The following report of the Committee on Finance was read, unanimously adopted by sections, and then unanimously adopted as a whole:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

Your Finance Committee reports that they have checked the report of the Grand Secretary and the audit of the Grand Auditor, and find that the Grand Secretary's office received the following amounts from the sources tabulated and in parallel column are shown estimates made in 1949.

	Estimated	Actual
1. Previous year dues	$ None	$ 906.00
2. Current year dues	149,752.00	147,776.25
3. Dues paid in advance	None	5,414.00
4. Dispensations	None	150.00
5. Charter Fees	None	100,00
6. Audit Refund Expense	250.00	575.00
7. Miscellaneous	400.00	2,392.12
8. Bahnson Manual and Claudy Book A/c	None	2,822.00
9. Drewry Memorial Fund	1,750.00	1,626.50
TOTAL	$152,152.00	$161,761.87

We again have underestimated our income by $9,609.87 which was caused by the income from most sources being greater than was anticipated. However, our expenses were in some instances less than was anticipated in which we overestimated our expense by $5,779.87 and we had in cash December 31st, $30,641.07.

We have carefully checked the report of the Board of Directors of the Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, and we commend the management of this Permanent Fund in their charge.

We recommend that $40,000.00 be transferred to the Masonic Foundation from the current fund surplus for investment.

We are delighted to report that on December 31st there was due from Lodges only $29.00 which we consider an exceedingly small Accounts Receivable.

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance—January 1, 1949		$ 32,372.33
Received from Grand Secretary		161,761.87
TOTAL		$194,134.20
Payments of Vouchers for Operation	$163,492.89	
Bank Service Charge	.24	
Balance in Banks—December 31, 1949	30,641.07	
	$194,134.20	$194,134.20

Details of dates and amounts of remittances from Grand Secretary to Grand Treasurer are recorded in Report of Grand Secretary.

GROUPING OF EXPENDITURES

	Actual	Budget
A. Institutions and Charity	$ 66,600.00	$ 67,000.00
B. Salaries	14,183.31	15,300.00
C. Masonic Dues	1,487.18	1,522.00
D. Sundry Expense	11,664.50	11,975.00
E. Expense—Representatives outside State	530.00	730.00
F. Expense—Grand Secretary's Office	5,777.25	7,005.00
G. Annual and Special Com. Expense	2,672.62	3,600.00
H. District Deputies' Traveling Expense	1,518.67	1,500.00
I. Miscellaneous	34,059.36	35,641.00
J. Transferred to N. C. Mas. Foundation	25,000.00	None
K. Bank Service Charge	.24	None
TOTAL	$163,493.13	$144,273.00

For details of payment compared with 1949 Budget see Grand Secretary's Report in this Proceedings.

ESTIMATE OF INCOME IN 1950

1. 48,473 Masons @ $2.50	$121,182.50	
2. 3020 Initiations @ $1.00	3,020.00	
3. 3020 Charity Fees @ $10.00	30,200.00	
4. Drewry Fund Income	1,750.00	
5. Refund on Audits	300.00	
6. Miscellaneous	400.00	
TOTAL Estimated Income	$156,852.50	
Bank Balance December 31, 1949	30,641.07	
Total Operating Income	$187,493.57	
Total Budgeted Expense		$134,655.00
Amount Recommended Transferred to Masonic Foundation		40,000.00
Operating Balance		12,838.57
	$187,493.57	$187,493.57

BUDGET

In preparing the Budget, we recognize that the appropriations in "A." Oxford Orphanage, Masonic and Eastern Star Home, and Charity "B," Salaries and "C," Masonic Expenses, "E," out of State Expense of Representatives, "F," Office Expense of the Grand Secretary, "G" Annual Communications Expense, "H," D. D. G. M. Travel Expense, and "I," Miscellaneous are authorizations to spend so much thereof as may be needed.

Furthermore, we recommend that the Grand Master authorize and direct as to when the several appropriations shall be paid by warrant of the Grand Secretary, and that the Grand Master have authority, when he deems it advisable, for the best interest of the Grand Lodge, to suspend the allotment made to any committee, activity or agency of the Grand Lodge.

Furthermore, we recommend that, when it shall appear to be for the best interest of the Grand Lodge, the Grand Master be authorized to give written authorization for this Budget to be exceeded, or for any department, agency or office to incur out of ordinary expense not herein provided for.

A. Oxford Orphanage, Masonic and Eastern Star Home, and Charity:		
1. Oxford Orphanage	$ 50,000.00	
2. Masonic and Eastern Star Home	16,000.00	
3. Charity	2,000.00	
		$68,000.00
B. Salaries:		
1. Grand Secretary	$ 5,000.00	
2. Grand Treasurer	150.00	
3. Grand Tyler	50.00	
4. Clerical Help, Grand Secretary	10,100.00	
		$ 15,300.00

C. MASONIC DUES:

1. Masonic Service Association	$ 1,220.00
2. Grand Masters' Conference	120.00
3. Grand Secretaries' Conference	15.00
4. Masonic Relief Association of the United States and Canada	225.00
	$ 1,580.00

D. SUNDRY EXPENSE:

1. Grand Master's Office and Travel	$ 2,000.00
2. Grand Secretary's Travel	1,000.00
3. Grand Treasurer's Office	150.00
4. Committee on Foreign Correspondence	300.00
5. Deputy Grand Master's Travel	200.00
6. Grand Lecturers	6,750.00
7. Auditing	675.00
8. Bond Premiums	225.00
9. Printing Proceedings	4,000.00
	$ 15,300.00

E. EXPENSE, GRAND REPRESENTATIVES, OUT OF STATE:

1. Grand Masters' Conference, Grand Master	$ 100.00
2. Grand Masters' Conference, Grand Secretary	100.00
3. Grand Masters' Conference, Deputy Gr. Master	100.00
4. Visiting Other Grand Lodges, Grand Master	200.00
5. Visiting Other Grand Lodges, Grand Secretary	75.00
6. Visiting Other Grand Lodges, Deputy Gr. Master	75.00
7. George Washington Mas. Nat. Memo. Association	50.00
8. Masonic Service Association	30.00
	$ 730.00

F. EXPENSE, GRAND SECRETARY'S OFFICE:

1. Rent	$ 1,695.00
2. Miscellaneous Office	3,000.00
3. Equipment	2,000.00
4. Binding Annual Returns	600.00
5. Microfilming Annual Returns	300.00
6. Printing Official Forms	750.00
	$ 8,345.00

G. EXPENSE, ANNUAL COMMUNICATION:

1. Grand Officers	$ 500.00
2. Past Grand Officers	400.00
3. District Deputy Grand Masters	800.00
4. Custodians and Lecturers	200.00
5. Credentials Committee	50.00
6. Past Grand Master's Jewel	175.00
7. Grand Master's Apron	75.00
8. Boards and Committees	400.00
9. Special	1,000.00
	$ 3,600.00

H. District Deputies:

1. Visiting Lodges, District Deputy Grand Masters	$ 1,500.00
2. Visiting Lodges, District Grand Lecturers	500.00
	$ 2,000.00

I. Miscellaneous Expense:

1. Contingent	$ 4,500.00
2. Bahnson Manuals	4,000.00
3. Code Commission	250.00
4. Board of Custodians	2,000.00
5. George Washington Mas. Nat. Memo. Association	2,000.00
6. Judge Advocate	500.00
7. Masonic Service Asso. for Hospital Visitation	1,500.00
8. Relief of European Masonry	2,000.00
9. Committee on By-Laws	200.00
10. Grand Lodge Library	1,000.00
11. Lodge Service Commission	500.00
12. Employee Retirement Fund	600.00
13. Grand Lodge Officers' Aprons	750.00
	$ 19,800.00

RECAPITULATION

A. Ox. Orphanage, M. and E. S. Home, and Charity	$ 68,000.00
B. Salaries	15,300.00
C. Masonic Dues	1,580.00
D. Sundry Expense	15,300.00
E. Expense, Grand Representatives, Out of State	730.00
F. Expense, Grand Secretary's Office	8,345.00
G. Expense, Annual Communication	3,600.00
H. District Deputies, Visiting Lodges	2,000.00
I. Miscellaneous Expense	19,800.00
	$134,655.00

The report of the Committee on Masonic Educational Loan Fund having been referred to this Committee, we concur in the recommendation and further that the Committee be continued through the Grand Lodge of 1951.

We note that the net earnings of The North Carolina Masonic Foundation, Incorporated, for the year 1949 amounted to $25,454.34. We recommend that the net earnings be retained by the Foundation and added to the corpus of the Fund until the Grand Lodge makes other disposition of the same.

Respectfully submitted,

Watson N. Sherrod, *P. G. M., Chairman,*
Julius C. Hobbs, *P. G. M.,*
Maxwell E. Hoffman, *P. G. M.,*
William H. White, *Junior Grand Warden,*
Edwin T. Howard, *Senior Grand Deacon,*
Lester H. Gillikin, *P. M.,* Hugh W. Prince, *P. M.,*
A. Rex Willis, *P. M.,* Henry L. Bridges, *P. M.*

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF OXFORD ORPHANAGE

Rev. Brother A. DeLeon Gray, Superintendent of Oxford Orphanage, made a brief verbal report on Oxford Orphanage.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON NECROLOGY

(Docket No. 53)

The following report of the Committee on Necrology, prepared by Rev. Brother J. Glenn Blackburn, was read by M.˙.W.˙.Brother Hubert M. Poteat, P. G. M., received, and entered upon the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina

Since the last Communication of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina many of the Fraternity have finished their work and have been raised to life everlasting by the Master of us all. Our goodbys have been said reluctantly but with faith in Him who is the God of the living and the Lord of all worlds.

Among those who are no longer with us are Most Worshipful Wilkins Perryman Horton, Grand Master; Most Worshipful Brother Clyde Hamilton Jarrett, Past Grand Master; and Most Worshipful Elmer E. Beach, Past Grand Master of Masons in Illinois, for whose funeral services Emergent Communications of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina were held.

However, our loss is not measured by position or honor but by the quality, the faithfulness and the love of those who leave us. We take pride in the work of all those who have gone ahead and loyally accept the blessings they have left.

The life we now know is as if we were away at school getting ready to live. We are called upon to learn faith and love and service. There is a future greater than this life, to which all that we do is related. At graduation there is a real sadness, a hesitancy at breaking the ties and a dread of the loss, but if the graduation were not so life would lose its meaning. Man was made for eternity and will not rest until he is at home with God.

Those who were ready have answered the call. We regret to see them go for we need them, yet we rejoice in their release from the limitations and infirmities of this imperfect and uncertain existence. Having made the last and longest voyage, we believe they continue in the service of the Supreme Architect where all life is fulfilled and every soul is precious.

"The stars shall fade away, the sun himself
Grow dim with age, and nature sink in years;
But thou shalt flourish in immortal youth,
Unhurt amidst the war of elements,
The wreck of matter and the crash of worlds."
—Addison.

To those who have been most deeply hurt by the loss of loved ones and intimate friends we pledge our undying love and commend to them the greatest of our Great Lights—The Holy Scriptures—for their comfort and their guidance.

So, with gratitude and confidence we salute the comrades who ride ahead. In love we dedicate ourselves to the work they have left. Faithfully we will use the tools that once were theirs. We will love them still and walk in the light of their lives. We follow with less fear, for out yonder there are those we know and in the Celestial Lodge above there are friends to greet us when we have to go.

Respectfully submitted,
J. GLENN BLACKBURN, *Chairman.*

TRIBUTE TO MOST WORSHIPFUL BROTHER CLYDE HAMILTON JARRETT

(Docket No. 54)

M.·.W.·.Brother Watson N. Sherrod, P. G. M., presented the following tribute to M.·.W.·.Brother Clyde Hamilton Jarrett, Past Grand Master, as written by W.·. Brother Guy L. Houk, and it was received and entered upon the record:

CLYDE HAMILTON JARRETT

Clyde Hamilton Jarrett was born in Dillsboro, Jackson County, North Carolina, on November 2, 1893, the son of Robert Frank Jarrett and Sallie Wild Jarrett. He received his elementary education in the public schools of Dillsboro and at Sylva Collegiate Institute, Sylva, North Carolina. He also attended Mars Hill College and graduated from Wake Forest College.

In August, 1914, he was licensed as an Attorney at Law and opened an office at Andrews, Cherokee County, North Carolina on May 1, 1915.

Upon outbreak of World War I he entered the United States Army and rapidly rose to the rank of First Sergeant. All of his service was with the famous 30th or "Old Hickory" Division. He served more than one year in France during this period.

Upon his return from service he resumed the practice of law and thereafter entered into the insurance business, which he continued until shortly prior to his death.

A man of progressive spirit and wide interest he became associated with practically every worth-while enterprise in his community. For several years he was Secretary of his local school board and an active and valuable member of many other civic agencies.

He was an active member of the Andrews Baptist Church,

CLYDE HAMILTON JARRETT
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serving for several years as Choir Director, Superintendent of the Sunday School and on the official Board of his Church.

In 1922 he was appointed Postmaster at Andrews and served in that capacity for twelve years.

In 1938 he ably represented Cherokee County in the General Assembly of North Carolina and in 1944 was the candidate of his party for Congress from the Twelfth District.

He was initiated in Andrews Lodge No. 529 on May 8, 1916, passed on September 4, 1916, and raised on February 5, 1917.

Following his return from service he filled all places and stations in his Lodge, having served as Worshipful Master several times.

In 1936 he was appointed as Junior Grand Steward of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina and thereafter progressed through the several stations until his election as Most Worshipful Grand Master in 1945. He was the second Grand Master to come from far Western North Carolina, the first in the twentieth century.

He was married to Miss Olive Brown. To their union were born two children, C. H. Jarrett, Jr., of Charlotte, North Carolina, and Sarah Jarrett Chandler of Andrews. He is survived by Mrs. Jarrett and both children. Two grand-children also survive.

Most Worshipful Brother Jarrett died suddenly on November 1, 1949. Funeral services were held in the Andrews Baptist Church on November 3, 1949, following which his mortal remains were laid to rest on the brow of a hill surrounded by the mountains he loved so well. An Emergent Communication of the Grand Lodge was held for that purpose, presided over by Most Worshipful Maxwell Hoffman, immediate Past Grand Master.

In addition to his Blue Lodge memberships he was a member of Asheville Consistory, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, and also of Oasis Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.

Among all the fine qualities which enabled him to serve Masonry so well undoubtedly the outstanding trait was his great capacity for making and maintaining loyal and devoted friends. He gave his unlimited friendship and received back again a dividend of the friendship and affection of thousands.

His untimely passing is a distinct loss to his community, his Lodge, to the Grand Lodge and to Masonry and a profound shock to the multitude who knew and loved him. However, in that Celestial Lodge above where the Great Architect of the Universe presides, we know that our Most Worshipful Brother will continue to serve faithfully and well in ever-increasing clarity of vision and more joyous fellowship with all those who have gone before.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE

M.˙.W.˙.Brother Luther T. Hartsell, Jr., P. G. M.,

Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence, made the following verbal report:

M.·.W.·.BROTHER LUTHER T. HARTSELL, JR., P. G. M.: Most Worshipful Grand Master and brethren: My report, none of which requires any action on the part of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina at this time, will be ready for publication in the Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina. Rather than spend the last twelve months in undertaking to glean items of wisdom from our sister jurisdictions, which frankly are worth little if anything, I have undertaken to consolidate in one complete record the action of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina over the years with reference to recognition of other Grand Lodges.

That record begins, so to speak, with a very complete report which was filed before The Grand Lodge of North Carolina by the Committee on Foreign Correspondence for the year 1924, at which the late Chief Justice and Brother Walter Clark was chairman of the Committee on Fraternal Correspondence and Recognition. Since that time, there has been brought into our list of lodges that appears in our proceedings as being recognized by this Grand jurisdiction a certain error. Now, there happens to be approximately six Grand Lodges so listed concerning which The Grand Lodge of North Carolina has taken no recorded action. There are, likewise, jurisdictions which are in existence today and which have been recognized by The Grand Lodge of North Carolina which do not appear in the roster of Grand Lodges so recognized. This report will be completely printed as an appendix to the Proceedings of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, and after the brethren have had ample opportunity to see what they have done, then your Committee will be in a position next year to make definite recommendations.

I would also like to state that there are certain Grand Jurisdictions in Europe which have been in the past recognized by this Grand Lodge and the recognitions have never been withdrawn although the Grand Lodges ceased to exist as a result of the late great conflict in which we were engaged. There are also Grand Lodges in Europe which were recognized, and properly so, by The Grand

Lodge of North Carolina and which have now been resuscitated or revived with identical authority which existed at the time of their demise because of the war. Those Grand Lodges, in your Committee's opinion, need not now be recognized because recognition was never withdrawn, and where those Grand Lodges continue to exist today, as such, and comply with the standards of recognition of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina, your committee feels that no further action is necessary with regards to them.

Most Worshipful Sir, with your permission, and with permission of the brethren, I would like to have this report, when it is properly corrected once again, published in the Proceedings of The Grand Lodge of North Carolina as the report of the Committee, not as a part of the actual Proceedings of the Grand Lodge, but as an appendix to the same. Bear in mind, brethren, that everything which will there appear will be facts and not theory. Items which come from our Proceedings, beginning with the year 1924 up until the last recognition of this Grand Lodge back some few years ago.

(GRAND SECRETARY'S NOTE: SEE the Appendix to the Proceedings for 1951 for the report referred to above.—W.L.M.).

FINAL REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

(Docket No. 55)

W.·.Brother Karl B. Glenn, Acting Chairman of the Committee on Credentials, presented the following report of his Committee, which was received and entered upon the record:

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

The Credentials Committee herewith submits its final report for the 1950 Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge.

Lodges Represented	229	Representatives	547
Line Officers Present	16		
Past Grand Masters Present	14		
D. D. G. M's. Present	30		
*Custodians Present	5		65

Official Representatives and Officers Present (but not including members of some Boards, Commissions, and Committees____612

* All other members of Board of Custodians listed either as Officers of the Grand Lodge or as Past Grand Masters.

The Committee regrets that its Chairman, Worshipful S. M. Young, P. B., of Hiram Lodge No. 40, was prevented from fulfilling his duties as Chairman because of illness.

Respectfully submitted,

KARL B. GLENN, *P. M., Acting Chairman,*
C. T. MCCLENAGHAN, *P. M.,*
JOHN R. SEXTON, *P. M.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CUSTODIANS

(Docket No. 56)

The following report of the Board of Custodians was read. W.·.G. Dudley Humphrey made the following motion which was adopted:

"That the report of the Board of Custodians be received and entered on the record and that the resolutions and recommendations proposed in that report each be adopted."

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of North Carolina:

MEETINGS

I. The Board held three meetings since the last annual communication of the Grand Lodge. On June 11, 1949, a meeting was held at Wrightsville Beach, N. C., all members of the Board being present except M.·.W.·.Wilkins P. Horton, Grand Master; Brothers W. H. Hardy, P. M., C. L.; and Scott S. Fay, P. M., C. L. At this meeting, the Board organized, as required under Regulation 35-02. M.·.W.·.James E. Shipman, P. G. M., was elected Chairman; M.·.W.·.Chas. B. Newcomb, P. G. M., was elected Secretary.

The Secretary was instructed to have the pamphlet on "Lodge System of Masonic Education" printed and distributed. This job was completed in the early part of October, 1949. Thirty-nine hundred copies were printed at a cost of $595.63. The cost of distribution was in addition to the cost of printing, and this was handled by the office of the Grand Secretary.

The Secretary was instructed to have the amendments to the Official Standard of the Work, which had been approved by the Grand Lodge in May, 1949, printed and distributed. The manuscript of these changes was carefully rechecked, 2,000 copies were printed at a cost of $86.90, and the amendments were distributed in August, 1949.

No change was made in the present allowance for Lecture Service to lodges nor in the rules governing the same. We respectfully recommend that these rules be printed in the Appendix to the Proceedings of this annual communication. These rules may also be found on Pages 497 through 499 of the Appendix of THE CODE.

The Grand Lecturer was authorized as provided in Regulation 35-08(2) to try out the plan of District Deputy Grand Lecturers in the 10th, 11th, 37th, 40th, and 44th Masonic Districts. He

will report on the results of this experiment. The duties of these District Deputy Grand Lecturers were prescribed as follows:

1. To promote the Lecture Service and the educational work in the Districts.

2. To encourage candidates for examination for proficiency in the Ritualistic Work, either Class A or Class B.

3. To promote Schools of Instruction in the Work in the Districts.

The Board adopted the following motion with reference to a lodge applying for relief from the Lecture Service under Regulation 35-09:

"That during the recess of the Board, the Grand Lecturer, with the approval of the Chairman of the Board, be authorized to excuse any lodge from the requirement of Regulation 35-09, but not to exceed a period of one (1) year in any case. That this authorization to be in effect until repealed or amended but not beyond the next annual meeting of this Board. It is understood that no lodge shall be excused under this resolution unless it is capable of properly and intelligently conferring all of the Ritualistic Work including the lectures, and also the opening, closing and other like procedures, by its own members. If a lodge has a resident member who is a Certified Lecturer and if he instructs his lodge officers and members and maintains proficient Ritualistic Work in the lodge, the certificate of such Certified Lecturer to that effect will be sufficient to justify excusing the lodge under this resolution. It is not intended that the authority granted herein shall be used to excuse a lodge that, in fact, needs instruction to maintain intelligent work."

II. On February 25, 1950, a special meeting of the Board was held at Charlotte. All members were present and R.∴W.∴Wallace E. Caldwell, D. G. M., Acting Grand Master, presided.

At this meeting the Board received the report of the Grand Lecturer to the effect that the Schools of Instruction are increasing in number and interest. The District Deputy Grand Lecturers have been satisfactory, but this being a new project, he recommends that the experiment be continued.

It was reported that it will soon be necessary to reprint the Official Standard of the Work because a large number of the copies outstanding are in bad condition and the reserve supply is very limited. The Board appointed a special committee to carefully check the Official Standard of the Work for errors in the present publication and to report in time for this communication of the Grand Lodge.

It was reported also that the supply of Bahnson's Manual is about exhausted and it will be necessary to reprint that publication. The Board recommends that in reprinting the Manual, the present burial service should be included because the Grand Lodge has not yet adopted a new Ritual for this service.

Consideration was given to a program of proficiency examinations to be held during the summer months of 1950. The program was approved, and the details will be worked out later.

The Board decided to hold an examination for proficiency in Raleigh, on Monday, April 17. On Tuesday, April 18, the Grand Lecturer will hold a School of Instruction which should be considered a model for such a School.

The question as to whether the representatives of the Lesser Lights should burn at all times when the Great Light is displayed, and also the question as to their location was presented by an inquiry from Phoenix Lodge No. 8. These two questions were referred to a special committee of the Board for investigation and report and we submit herewith a proposed amendment to Regulation 51-10 of the Code pertaining to the subject and we recommend that it be considered by the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence:

"3. The representatives of the three Lesser Lights shall be lighted at all times when a lodge is open on the Degree of Entered Apprentice. It shall be optional whether they be lighted at any other time when the lodge is open. Their places shall be in a triangular position near the altar." (This proposal was presented at the first session of this Annual Communication as Docket No. 14, and it was referred to the Committee on Masonic Jurisprudence).

As provided in Regulations 20-05(2) and 35-06(1), the Board unanimously nominated Brother Fred C. Kinzie, P. M., C. L., to succeed himself as Grand Lecturer and this nomination was laid before the Acting Grand Master for his consideration.

III. The Board held a meeting Monday, April 17, and also on each day of this annual communication. All members were present at each meeting.

PROFICIENCY EXAMINATIONS

IV. Examinations for proficiency in Ritualistic Work since May 2, 1949, were held as follows: December 16, 1949 at Charlotte, N. C., at which time 14 applicants were examined, 13 passed—all Certified Lecturers, Class A.

On April 17, at Raleigh, at which time 31 were examined, 30 passed, of which 28 were Certified Lecturers, Class A., and 2 were Certified Instructors, Class B. Six were already Certified Lecturers, re-examined at their request.

Our present rosters of Certified Lecturers and Certified Instructors are as follows:

CLASS	NUMBER April 17, 1950	Same On May 2, 1949	CHANGE
"A"	200	168	Gain 32
"B"	13	13	None
TOTAL	213	181	32

A complete roster of each class and other data will be found on Pages 195, 201 and 202 of these Proceedings.

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION IN THE RITUALISTIC WORK

V. A School of Instruction was held on April 18, 1950, in the Grand Lodge Hall, Raleigh, at which all the required work of a School of Instruction was exemplified. The First Degree was exemplified by Hiram Lodge No. 40 of Raleigh; the Second Degree by William T. Bain Lodge No. 231 of Raleigh, Route 3; the first section of the Third Degree by a team from the 39th District; and the second section of the Third Degree by Skewarkee Lodge No. 90 of Williamston.

This was conducted as a model and a large number of Masons from all parts of the State attended the school.

MASONIC EDUCATION

VI. We report that the "Lodge System of Masonic Education" promulgated by order of the Grand Lodge in May, 1949 Proceedings at page 197, was distributed during October, 1949, and it has been favorably received by the Craft.

The Board is now preparing for publication a small educational pamphlet to be presented to candidates for degrees between their election and initiation.

COMPENSATION FOR LECTURE SERVICE

VII. We recommend the adoption of the following resolution authorizing the reimbursement to the subordinate lodges for compensation for Lecture Service paid out by them:

"BE IT RESOLVED, That the Grand Lodge continue to reimburse subordinate lodges for the compensation for lecture service paid out by them, (but not including the expenses of the lectures) on such basis of compensation as may be determined by the Board of Custodians under the provisions of Regulation 35-08(3A, B)." 20-05(5)

MISCELLANEOUS

VIII. The following lodges applied for permission to use uniforms in conferring degrees and having supplied pictures accurately describing the type of uniforms to be used, the applications were approved:

Palmyra Lodge No. 147, Excelsior Lodge No. 261, Bald Creek Lodge No. 397.

The applications from the following lodges to be excused from Lecture Service required in Regulation 35-09 having been properly investigated, were each approved:

St. John's	No. 1	Expires August 31, 1950
Orr	No. 104	Expires September 27, 1950
Person	No. 113	Expires November 3, 1950
Palmyra	No. 147	Expires February 10, 1951
Long Creek	No. 205	Expires December 17, 1950
Seaside	No. 429	Expires November 21, 1950
Creedmoor	No. 499	Expires October 24, 1950
Joppa	No. 530	Expires December 17, 1950
Queen City	No. 602	Expires December 15, 1950
Kernersville	No. 669	Expires December 17, 1950
Acacia	No. 674	Expires February 16, 1951

IX. It is with profound sorrow and regret that we record here the death of three of our most efficient and interested Certified Lecturers. Each of them gave freely of his time and talent and made a definite contribution in promoting the Ritualistic Work:

HERBERT HOUSTON GETTLE, *P. M., C. L.*,
EVERETTE MICHAEL KENDRICK, *C. L.*,
ROBERT SOLON MCKENZIE, *C. L.*

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND LECTURERS

X. At the meeting of the Board held in Raleigh, April 19, 1950, the recommendation in the report of the Grand Lecturer that the system of District Deputy Grand Lecturers be extended was considered and approved. The Grand Lecturer nominated the following District Deputy Grand Lecturers and they were each approved by the Board as provided in Regulation 35-08(2):

District—Name

1-2—Wilbourne M. Smith, P. M., C. L.
3-5—Henry B. Carawan, P. M., C. L.
4-4A—Roy T. Joyner, P. M., C. L.
6—Berl M. Kahn, P. M., C. L.
7-8—Garrason A. Farrow, P. M., C. L.
9—Arthur Apple, P. M., C. L.
10—William H. Stevens, P. M., C. L.
11-12-14—Rester E. Ruppe, P. M., C. L.
15-16—Percy C. Stott, P. M., C. L.
17-18—Charles E. Pittman, P. M., C. L.
19-20—Nathan P. Strause, P. M., C. L.
21—Sol Lipman, P. M., C. L.
22-23—John E. Oakes, P. M., C. L.
13-24—Neill W. Freeman, P. M., C. L.
25-26—John R. Haynsworth, C. L.
27—Joel J. Faulk, P. M., C. L.
28-37—De Costor Wright, P. M., C. L.
29-36—Reid I. Thompson, P. M., C. L.
30-31—Cortez Lowery, C. L.
33-34—Franklin W. Royal, P. M., C. L.
38-44—Jonathan H. Carpenter, P. M., C. L.
39—Coy J. Huff, P. M., C. L.
40—James T. C. Wright, P. M., C. L.
41-42-43—Marcus Y. Jarrett, P. M., C. L.

The duties of the District Deputy Grand Lecturers were prescribed as set out in item I of this report.

LODGES LECTURED IN 1949

XI. The records before us indicate that 136 lodges were lectured for which the Grand Lodge allowed compensation. Three

lodges were lectured for which the Grand Lodge did not allow compensation, making a total of 139 lodges actually lectured. Eleven lodges were excused as hereinbefore reported, making the total of 150 cleared during 1949 as being satisfactory in their Ritualistic Work. It is very gratifying to note this progress and also to note that 61 Certified Lecturers took part in lecturing lodges during 1949.

OFFICIAL STANDARD OF THE WORK

XII. The special committee of the Board which was appointed February 25, 1950, to check the Official Standard of the Work for errors in the present publication reported on April 17, 1950, with certain recommendations which were presented to the brethren assembled at the exemplification of the Three Degrees on April 18, 1950, and they were favorably received. We now present our recommendation on these corrections in the form of a resolution, and we recommend its adoption:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Grand Lodge approve the following revisions and corrections in the Official Standard of the Work:

Page 18, line 1	Page 109, line 5 . . . . .
Page 18, line 2	Page 133, lines 7 and 8 . . . . .
Page 37, lines 4 and 5	Page 152, line 12 . . . . .
Page 53, line 14	Page 189, line 11 . . . . .
Page 54, line 11	Page 192, line 6 . . . . .
Page 84, lines 9 and 10	Page 192, line 11 . . . . .
Page 92, line 9	Page 193, line 3 . . . . .

(These were presented orally by the Grand Lecturer).

VOCABULARY

XIII. We recommend that the vocabulary be amended as follows:

(This was presented orally by the Grand Lecturer).

Respectfully submitted,

WALLACE E. CALDWELL, *D. G. M., Acting Grand Master,*
FRED C. KINZIE, *P. M., C. L., Grand Lecturer,*
JAMES E. SHIPMAN, *P. G. M., Chairman,*
CHARLES B. NEWCOMB, *P. G. M., Secretary,*
JAMES G. JOHNSTON, *P. M., C. L.,*
SCOTT S. FAY, *P. M., C. L.,*
C. E. HARRINGTON, *P. M., C. L.,*
WILLIAM H. HARDY, *P. M., C. L.*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHARTERS AND DISPENSATIONS

(Docket No. 57)

The following report of the Committee on Charters and Dispensations was read and adopted:

that decision has been abandoned. We therefore recommend that the Grand Lodge approve and confirm the decision of Grand Master Horton in the case wherein he fixed the fees at fifty dollars.

DISPENSATION GRANTED

ITEM II. We recommend that the Grand Lodge approve the action of the Acting Grand Master as reported by him under this title.

PHYSICAL DISABILITIES

ITEM III. We recommend that the Grand Lodge approve the action of the Acting Grand Master as reported by him under this subject.

OFFICIAL OPINION

ITEM IV. We recommend that the Grand Lodge approve the action of the Acting Grand Master as reported by him under this subject, the facts in the case being as follows:

Fort Bragg Lodge No. 667 in revising its by-laws adopted the Uniform Code of By-laws set forth in Regulation 50-01, excepting only Subdivision "Q" under Article 22. The Committee on By-laws denied the authority of the lodge to exclude that subdivision, under the circumstances in this case because of the provisions of Regulation 50-02. The lodge appealed to the Grand Master as provided in Regulation 49-19. The Acting Grand Master approved and confirmed the decision of the Committee on By-laws. No appeal has been taken by the lodge to the Grand Lodge from the decision of the Acting Grand Master.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE—APPROVED

ITEM V. We have considered the following proposals to amend THE CODE which were read at the first session of the Grand Lodge yesterday and referred to this committee, and our recommendation in each case is shown hereafter.

1. The proposal to amend Regulation 20-09, Subsection 1, printed on Pages 83 and 84 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 10.

We recommend that this proposal be further amended and revised to make it read as follows, and as so amended that it be adopted, and that it become effective upon its adoption:

> 1. The Judge Advocate shall be a Past Master in good standing; well versed in Masonic Jurisprudence and further qualified as provided in Chapter 12; he shall be nominated by the Grand Master and confirmed by the Grand Lodge; he shall not be installed, and his term of office shall be two years, [12-01(3); 15-02].

2. The proposal to amend Regulation 32-08 printed on Page 84 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 11.

We recommend that this proposed amendment be adopted as proposed, and that it become effective upon its adoption.

3. The proposal to amend Regulation 50-01 printed on Page 84 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 12.

We recommend that this proposed amendment be adopted as proposed, and that it become effective upon its adoption.

4. The proposal to amend Chapter 50 by adding a new Regulation thereunder to be numbered 50-03, as printed on Page 85 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 13.

We recommend that this proposed amendment be adopted as proposed, and that it become effective upon its adoption.

5. The proposal to amend Regulation 51-10 printed on Page 85 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 14.

We recommend that this proposed amendment be further revised and amended to make it read as follows, and as so amended that it be adopted, and that it become effective upon its adoption:

> 3. The representatives of the three Lesser Lights shall be lighted at all times when a lodge is open on the Degree of Entered Apprentice. It shall be optional whether they be lighted at any other time when the lodge is open. Their places shall be in a triangular position near the altar.

6. The proposal to amend Chapter 51 by adding a new Regulation to be numbered 51-35, printed on Pages 85 and 86 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 15.

We recommend that this proposed amendment be further revised and amended to make it read as follows, and as so amended that it be adopted, and that it become effective upon its adoption:

> REG. 51-35. Smoking in a lodge while a degree is being conferred is prohibited. [50-01, (Art. 22, Q)].

7. The proposal to amend Subdivision 4 of Regulation 70-02, printed on Page 86 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 16.

We recommend that the proposed amendment be further revised and amended to read as follows, and as so amended that it be adopted, and that it become effective upon its adoption:

> 4. The minutes shall not show the names of a Committee of Investigation, nor the details of its report, except as provided in Subdivision 3 of this regulation. The minutes shall not show the character of charges preferred against a brother, except as required by law. (75-03; 75-04; 75-16; 108-01).

8. The proposal to amend Regulation 79-30 as printed on Page 86 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 17.

We recommend that this proposed amendment be adopted as proposed, and that it become effective upon its adoption.

9. The proposal to amend Regulation 83-22 as printed on Pages 87 and 88 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 18.

We recommend that this proposal be adopted as proposed, and that it become effective upon its adoption.

10. The proposal to amend Regulation 98-18 as printed on Page 88 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 19.

We recommend that this proposal be further revised and amended to make it read as follows, and as so amended that it be adopted, and that it become effective upon its adoption:

> 8. The final judgement in the case and such other details as pertain only to the receipt and transmission of documents in the case by the Grand Secretary.

11. The proposal to amend Regulation 102-35 as printed on Page 88 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 20.

We recommend that this proposal be further revised and amended to read as follows, and as so amended that it be adopted, to become effective upon its adoption:

> REG. 102-35. A prosecution to punish for a Masonic offense shall abate upon the death of the accused but not upon the death of the complainant.
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> 1. In the event a complainant shall die, or for any reason shall fail or refuse to prosecute, while the case is pending and before the final judgment is rendered, the prosecution shall not abate, nor shall the case, for that reason, be dismissed or tried anew; the Judge Advocate shall immediately designate, by a written order, a Master Mason in good standing to prosecute, or to continue the prosecution of the case, or do so himself. [102-02; 102-07; 102-33(3)].

12. The proposal to amend Regulation 106-20 as printed on Pages 88 and 89 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 21.

We recommend that this proposed amendment be adopted as proposed, and that it become effective upon its adoption.

13. In the report of this committee at the annual communication last year, as it appears in Docket No. 34, page 190 of the Proceedings of 1949, we reserved for further consideration the proposal contained in the address of the Grand Master, at Page 69 of the Proceedings of 1949, that Regulation 80-08 be repealed. We have carefully considered that proposal and we recommend that this regulation be not repealed, but that the proposal to repeal be amended so that the said regulation shall be revised and further amended to make it read as follows, and as so amended it be adopted, and that it become effective upon its adoption:

> REG. 80-08. No member of a lodge shall be installed as a line officer (except the Treasurer, the Secretary, and the Tyler) who has not made suitable proficiency in the catechism of the Third Degree and passed a satisfactory examination thereon in open lodge, and such fact entered upon the minutes of the lodge.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE—RESERVED FOR FURTHER CONSIDERATION

ITEM VI. The following proposals to amend THE CODE are reserved by this committee for further consideration until the next Annual Communication:

1. A proposal by Goldsboro Lodge No. 634 to repeal Subsections 1 and 2 of Regulation 75-05 which was presented at the Annual Communication of 1949 as Docket No. 23 and reported in the Proceedings of that year at page 144.

2. A proposal by Wm. G. Hill Lodge No. 218 to amend Regulation 75-05, Subsections 1 and 2 which was presented at the Annual Communication of 1949 as Docket No. 24, item 2, and reported in the Proceedings of that communication at page 145.

3. The following proposals to amend THE CODE which were presented at the first session of the Grand Lodge today, by Wm. G. Hill Lodge No. 218 as Dockets Nos. 34, 35, 36, and 37 having been received too late for consideration and final action as provided in Regulation 111-01(5) are carried over to the next Annual Communication:

A. A proposal to amend Regulation 85-03, printed as Docket No. 34 on Page 114 of these Proceedings.

B. A proposal to amend Regulation 76-26, printed as Docket No. 35 on Page 114 of these Proceedings.

C. A proposal to amend Regulation 79-17, printed as Docket No. 36 on Page 114 of these Proceedings.

D. A proposal to amend Regulation 75-08, printed as Docket No. 37 on Page 114 of these Proceedings.

RESOLUTION OF WM. G. HILL LODGE No. 218

ITEM VII. The resolution of Wm. G. Hill Lodge No. 218 presented at the first session of the Grand Lodge this morning and printed on Page 113 of these Proceedings as Docket No. 33 has been considered by the committee and the matters therein which relate to a proposed amendment to Regulation 75-05, Subsections 1 and 2 are reserved by the committee until the next Annual Communication for further consideration as set forth in Item VI of this report.

The recommendations of this committee on the matters in that resolution which relate to Regulations 76-26 and 96-01(19) will be found in this report under Item VIII.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CODE—NOT APPROVED

ITEM VIII. We have carefully considered the following proposals to amend THE CODE which were referred to this committee last year and we recommend that each of them *be not* adopted:

1. The proposal by Wm. G. Hill Lodge No. 218 to amend Regu-

lation 76-26 to provide for multiple ballot boxes which was presented at the Annual Communication of 1949 as Docket No. 24 and reported in the Proceedings of that year at pages 144 and 145.

2. A proposal by Wm. G. Hill Lodge No. 218 to amend Regulation 96-01(19) which was presented at the Annual Communication of 1949 as Docket No. 24, item 3, and reported in the Proceedings of that communication at page 145.

PETITION OF HIRAM LODGE NO. 40, *Et Al.*

ITEM IX. We have carefully considered the petition of Hiram Lodge No. 40, Wm. G. Hill No. 218, and Raleigh Lodge No. 500 presented at first session of this Annual Communication as Docket No. 9, and we recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

BE IT RESOLVED, That the petition of Hiram Lodge No. 40, A. F. & A. M.; William G. Hill Lodge No. 218, A. F. & A. M.; and Raleigh Lodge No. 500, A. F. & A. M., being Docket No. 9, be and the same hereby is granted, subject to approval as to details by the Lodge Service Commission.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Lodge Service Commission be and it is hereby authorized, and empowered to entertain, consider and investigate, and by a majority vote of said commission to approve or to disapprove, either in whole or in part, any application that may be made by said lodges, or either of them, by their duly authorized representatives, for any, or all of the matters set forth in their petition.

Respectfully submitted,

EDGAR W. TIMBERLAKE, *P.G.M.*,
Chairman,
CHAS. B. NEWCOMB, *P.G.M.*,
Secretary,
HERBERT M. FOY, *S.G.W.*,
WILLIAM H. WHITE, *J.G.W.*,
J. WALLACE WINBORNE, *P.G.M.*,
J. GILES HUDSON, *P.G.M.*,
THOMAS J. HARKINS, *P.G.M.*,
JAMES E. SHIPMAN, *P.G.M.*,
WILLIAM J. BUNDY, *P.G.M.*, *C.L.*,
LUTHER T. HARTSELL, JR., *P.G.M.*,
EMERY B. DENNY, *P. M.*,
G. DUDLEY HUMPHREY, *P.M.*, *C. L.*,
Judge Advocate.

TELEGRAMS AND LETTERS RECEIVED

The Grand Secretary reported the receipt of telegrams and letters bearing fraternal greetings from, among others, either the Grand Master or the Grand Secretary

(and, in some cases, both) of the Grand Lodges of Connecticut, New Jersey, Rhode Island, New York, Massachusetts, Delaware, Illinois, Georgia, Florida, District of Columbia, and Tennessee; from M.˙.W.˙.Carl H. Claudy, P. G. M., Executive Secretary of the Masonic Service Association of the United States; and from M.˙.W.˙.Brother John Bailey Owen, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina.

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER: Brethren, we will now recognize Most Worshipful Brother John H. Hessey, Past Grand Master of Masons in Maryland.

M.˙.W.˙.BROTHER JOHN H. HESSEY

M.˙.W.˙.BROTHER JOHN H. HESSEY, P. G. M.: Now, of course, I had a few words to say last evening, and what can I speak about tonight? Unfortunately, I have two pairs of pants, and I left the other ones home and in the other suit that I left home, was that speech that I had for tonight. I'm somewhat like that magistrate out in Wisconsin, who had the right to perform a wedding ceremony, and he was like all ministers, you know, he liked to perform as many of them as he could to get the fee for himself, and he got great delight in marrying people. So one day a circus came to town, and the magistrate took his grandchildren and went to the circus, and he hadn't been there very long before here came up a nice couple who were attending the circus, and wanted to be married. Well, that little book that had that marriage ceremony was at home, he didn't have it, but he didn't want to lose the fee. So, he got them before him and said to the young man, "Do you have this young lady to be your wedded wife?"; and he said, "I do!" To the young lady, he said, "Do you have this man to be your wedded husband?"; she said, "I do." "Well, I pronounce you man and wife according to the memorandum that I left home in my other pants," he said. Now, my brethren, having left my speech at home in my other pants, I had to write another one.

After having arrived here the other night, having left my glasses at the hotel, I met one of the good brethren out here in the lobby, and as I walked over in the

corner, I didn't want the others to know it, so I said to him, I said, "Here is a little memorandum." I said, "I want to read it in there tonight in front of about—." I said, "Will you read it to me?" He said, "Pardon me, mister, I'm ignorant too." I am really delighted to be here this evening.

I am delighted to be here, and I came down a long way. Ordinarily, I drive right up to Washington and up to Richmond, but I wanted to see a little bit of Virginia. I wanted to bring my wife along with me, and I had a good bit of time, so I came down way over on the east coast, and I landed at a place finally, called Virginia Beach. Before I left there, a man said to me, "Why don't you ride out to Bayside," or something of that kind, "ride up above the Cavalier Hotel. There are magnificent homes there," and he said, "You can't go unless you see them." So, I went up to see all of those beautiful homes, beside the beach, and when I saw them, my wife said to me, "Well, well, how many servants does it take to run and operate one of these homes?" How many servants? After a while, I said, "No, that is not the way to think about that; why should I think of the servants they have? Why should I not think rather of what service that I can render to my fellowman, rather than the servants that someone else has," and as members of the great Masonic Fraternity, we should be servants of our brethren, and do what we can for their good and for the good of humanity. I come here, I look into your reports, and I find that you are doing much, yes, not only in your Orphans' Home, not only in the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, but of all, in towns of South America, in Europe, and in all parts of the world, we are being of service to our fellow man. That is what Masonry means. A life of service to others, and when we render service to another, we are rendering service to our fellow man.

We like to work, because we want others to think well of us, and not evil. We have a light. Let that light so shine, that men seeing your good works, may glorify not you, but your Father, which is in Heaven. The things that I like about Masonry are the friendships that we form as we go along the pathway of life. It means much

to us as we grow older to have friends, and in Masonry we have them, true and loyal. I'd like to sum up with that poem that Edgar Guest gives us:

"Life is sweet just because of the friends we have made,
And the things in common we share;
We want to live on, not because of ourselves,
But because of people who care.
It is giving and doing for somebody else . . . . . "

THE ACTING GRAND MASTER: Some little while ago I was talking to a class in Chapel Hill. I had just been away on a trip, and the boys and girls were a little bit curious as to why I was taking my time away from teaching them history to go around working in Masonry that they didn't know much about; and, of course, I told them a few grand things about Masonry, and then I broke down, and I said, now I'll tell you the honest truth. I said, I go out to these meetings and I'm received with proper honors and the introducer gets up and says some mighty nice things about me, and I like to hear the nice things he says about me, and then when I get through, I like to hear the applause that I get. Then, one of the boys spoke right up; this actually happened in one of the classes—one of the boys spoke right out and said, "Suppose you don't get any applause?" You know I had to tell them that that had happened to me too.

I went up last year, a year ago last Christmas, to the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania. North Carolina happened to be the oldest lodge there represented, and so I was called on first. When I got up, I made what I thought was one of my very best speeches. When I sat down, there was a dead silence. Then another man got up, and he said his speech, and he sat down, amid a dead silence. I looked inquiringly at the man sitting by me, and he whispered in my ear, "They don't allow any applause in the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania. Brother Yeager, I would like for you to stand up and see how we applaud in North Carolina. (APPLAUSE! APPLAUSE!! A P-P L A U S E !!!).

R.·.W.·.BROTHER WILLIAM E. YEAGER

R.·.W.·.BROTHER WILLIAM E. YEAGER, Grand Master of Masons in Pennsylvania: Most Worshipful Grand Master, I feel some chills going up and down my spine, and that is just because I am having a thrill. There has been just one exception, when a man has been applauded in Grand Lodge in Pennsylvania. In 1938, a man named ——————————; I don't think he weighed over 98 pounds, and he stood as tall as I; a bachelor, who they said would go all across the town of Lancaster to get a meal for five cents less, went to the Masonic Home to have a meeting with his attorney. We buy the baby white faces—Herefords—and fatten them until they weigh about 900 pounds, and slaughter them for use in our Masonic Home. He said, "I understand that you have been losing some meat. I want to build for the Masonic Home an abbattoir." That is a glorified slaughter house; and so he said, "I have the plans here; I want you committeemen to approve them, and I'll pay the bill." Well, it cost him $52,000. The then Grand Master said, "I will grant an exception in this case, and I am going to present to you Brother ——————, and give you the right to applaud him." So he got up, and they applauded him, which is the only time, since I've been a member of the Grand Lodge—since 1924—that there has been any applause in Grand Lodge. Then, the Grand Master made this ruling. He said that any time any member of Grand Lodge will give this Grand Lodge $52,000 or better, while they are living, we will applaud. (APPLAUSE! APPLAUSE!! A P P L A U S E !!!).

ELECTION OF JUDGE ADVOCATE

The Grand Master-elect nominated W.·.Brother George Dudley Humphrey, Past Master (1), for the office of Judge Advocate, and the nomination was unamimously confirmed by the Grand Lodge.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF BOARD OF GENERAL PURPOSES

The Grand Master-elect nominated M.·.W.·.Brothers Watson N. Sherrod, P. G. M., (447) and Edgar W. Tim-

berlake, P. G. M., (282) to succeed themselves as members of the Board of General Purposes for terms expiring in 1953, and the Grand Lodge unanimously confirmed the nominations.

ELECTION OF MEMBER OF COMMITTEE ON APPEALS

The Grand Master-elect nominated, and the Grand Lodge unanimously confirmed, W.·.Brother C. B. Shulenberger, P. M., (500) to be a member of the Committee on Appeals for a term expiring in 1955.

ELECTION OF MEMBER OF COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATIONAL LOAN FUND

The Grand Master-elect nominated, and the Grand Lodges unanimously confirmed, W.·.Brother C. B. Shulenberger, P. M., (500) to represent the Grand Lodge on the Committee on Masonic Educational Loan Fund.

OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE GRAND MASTER-ELECT

The Grand Master-elect announced his appointments, as follows:

W.·.ROBERT LEE PUGH----------*Senior Grand Deacon*
(568) New Bern

W.·.CHARLES HARRISON PUGH----------*Junior Grand Deacon*
(369) Gastonia

W.·.JOHN CATLETT VANCE----------*Grand Marshal*
(118) Asheville

W.·.CHARLES ANDERSON HARRIS-------*Grand Steward*
(113) Roxboro

W.·.EMERY BYRD DENNY----------*Grand Steward*
(668) Raleigh

W.·.FRED FARLEY HARDING----------*Grand Tyler*
(500) Raleigh

W.·.JOHN GLENN BLACKBURN----------*Grand Chaplain*
(282) Wake Forest

W.·.EMERY BYRD DENNY----------*Grand Historian*
(668) Raleigh

W.·.FRED CLINTON KINZIE----------*Grand Lecturer*
(673) Spindale

North Carolina, and after transferring my membership to University Lodge, the brethren of University Lodge, the members of University Lodge, honored me by electing me to be their Master. That, of course, made it possible for me to be sitting where I am tonight, and I am happy to notice around the room a rather large delegation from University Lodge No. 408, and I want them to all stand up. Stand up, brethren. (Applause!)

GRAND LODGE CLOSED IN AMPLE FORM

The minutes were read and approved. Prayer was offered by the Grand Chaplain, and the Grand Lodge was closed in AMPLE FORM.

Wallace E. Caldwell
Grand Master.

ATTEST:

I certify that the foregoing proceedings are a true and correct record of the official transactions of The Grand Lodge of A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina, at a Communication held April 18 and 19, 1950, and that they were prepared by me from the detailed minutes of that Communication, and were published under my supervision.

W. R. McKee
Grand Secretary

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PETITION FOR DISPENSATION TO FORM A NEW LODGE

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in North Carolina:

The undersigned petitioners, being Master Masons, having the prosperity of the fraternity at heart, and willing to exert their best endeavors to promote and diffuse the genuine principles of Freemasonry, and for the convenience to their respective dwellings and for other good reasons respectfully represent:

That they are desirous of forming a new lodge at ANGIER in the County of HARNETT (which is 8 miles from FUQUAY SPRINGS, the nearest lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction), said lodge to be named ANGIER, which is not the name of any living person.

They, therefore, pray for a dispensation to empower them to assemble as a regular lodge, to discharge the duties of Masonry in a regular and constitutional manner according to the ancient forms of the Order and the Regulations of the Grand Lodge.

They have nominated, and do hereby recommend, Brother CHARLES BRANTLEY SMITH to be the first Master, Brother WAYNE CARL COATS to be the first Senior Warden, and Brother WILTON RAY FISH to be the first Junior Warden of the said lodge.

If the prayer of this petition shall be granted, they promise a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Dated at ANGIER, N. C., this 26th day of July, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949.

Respectfully submitted,

NAME	LODGE	NO.	LOCATION	
Charles Brantley Smith	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Wayne Carl Coats	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Wilton Ray Fish	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
George Robert Houston	Neil S. Stewart	556	Erwin	North Carolina
Gordon Rohannon Matthews	Green Level (Grand Lodge Demit)	277	Apex	North Carolina
Joseph William Gardner	Black River	652	Angier	North Carolina
John Rufus Dupree	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
James Daniel Fish	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Coy Lee Guy	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Nathan Ira Dupree	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Joseph Paul Jones	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Dixon McDonald	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Zebedee D. Overby	Black River (Grand Lodge Demit)	652	Angier	North Carolina
Aldos Cortez Barefoot, Jr.	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Paul Sidney Broadwell	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Lawrence Winfield Talton	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Daniel Redford Fish	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Roy Clement Williams	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Floyd Leonard Suitt	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
William Harvey Stephenson	Black River (Grand Lodge Demit)	652	Angier	North Carolina
David Andrew McLeod	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Gabriel Paul Carr	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
Allison Louis Overby	Black River (Grand Lodge Demit)	652	Angier	North Carolina
Laucy Edward Johnson	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
James Ben Adams	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
James Jasper Barnes	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina
James Steven Sanders	Fuquay	258	Fuquay Springs	North Carolina

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION FOR ANGIER LODGE

DISPENSATION FOR A NEW LODGE

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THE GRAND LODGE
OF
ANCIENT, FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS
OF
NORTH CAROLINA

BY THE MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND MASTER

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To All and Every Our Worshipful and Loving Brethren - Greeting:

KNOW YE, That the Most Worshipful WILKINS PERRYMAN HORTON, Grand Master, at the humble petition of our well beloved Brethren CHARLES BRANTLEY SMITH, WAYNE CARL COATS, WILTON RAY FISH, GEORGE ROBERT HOUSTON, GORDON BOHANNON MATTHEWS, JOSEPH WILLIAM GARDNER, JOHN RUFUS DUPREE, JAMES DANIEL FISH, COY LEE GUY, NATHAN IRA DUPREE, JOSEPH PAUL JONES, DIXON McDONALD, ZEBEDEE D. OVERBY, ALDOS CORTEZ BAREFOOT, JR., PAUL SIDNEY BROADWELL, LAWRENCE WINFIELD TALTON, DANIEL REDFORD FISH, ROY CLEMENT WILLIAMS, FLOYD LEONARD SUITT, WILLIAM HARVEY STEPHENSON, DAVID ANDREW McLEOD, GABRIEL PAUL CARR, ALLISON LOUIS OVERBY, LAUCY EDWARD JOHNSON, JAMES BEN ADAMS, JAMES JASPER BARNES, JAMES STEVEN SANDERS, of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Freemasons, and for certain other reasons, moving our Most Worshipful Grand Master, doth hereby constitute the said brethren into a regular lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be opened at ANGIER in the County of HARNETT by the name of ANGIER. At their request, and from the great trust and confidence reposed in each of the said brethren, the Most Worshipful Grand Master doth hereby appoint CHARLES BRANTLEY SMITH Master, WAYNE CARL COATS Senior Warden, and WILTON RAY FISH Junior Warden, for opening the said lodge and governing the same until the first annual communication of the Grand Lodge after the date of this dispensation.

It is required of our Friend and Brother CHARLES BRANTLEY SMITH to take special care that all and every of the said brethren of the said lodge, as well as those hereafter to be admitted into our body by said lodge, be regularly made Masons; and that they do and observe and keep all the Constitution, Regulations, and laws of our Grand Lodge, and that the Ancient Landmarks be strictly attended to; and further, that he do cause to be entered in a book kept for that purpose, an account of the proceedings of said lodge which, when done, is to be transmitted to the Grand Lodge with a list of those initiated, passed, and raised, and otherwise disposed of under his authority.

Given at PITTSBORO, North Carolina, under the hand of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, and the Great Seal of Masonry, this 18th day of AUGUST, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949.

Wilkins P. Horton
Grand Master

Attest: [illegible]
Grand Secretary

DISPENSATION ISSUED TO ANGIER LODGE U. D.

PETITION FOR A CHARTER

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The subscribers hereto respectfully represent that, on the eighteenth day of August, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949, a dispensation was issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for the establishment of a new lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, at Angier in the County of Harnett, by the name of Angier Lodge, and that said lodge has worked regularly since that time as appears from the transcript of its records, by-laws, and returns herewith presented.

They, therefore, now pray that a charter be granted to the said lodge, with the following Officers, to-wit: Brother Charles Brantley Smith, Master; Brother Wayne Carl Coats, Senior Warden; and Brother Wilton Ray Fish, Junior Warden, and they do promise, as heretofore, a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Given under our hands on this the 14th day of April, A. D. 1950; A. L. 5950.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles Brantley Smith	Wayne Carl Coats
Wilton Ray Fish	John Rufus Dupree
Laucy Edward Johnson	James Daniel Fish
George Robert Houston	Gordon B. Matthews
James Jasper Barnes	Coy Lee Guy
Allison L. Overby	Lawrence Winfield Talton
Nathan Ira Dupree	Gordon Lockhart Matthews
Paul Alexander Lee	Floyd Leonard Suitt
Zebedee D. Overby	William Baxter Williams
Joseph William Gardner	James Norwood Adams
David Andrew McLeod	Dixon McDonald
Lewis Butler Day	Gabriel Paul Carr
James Steven Sanders	Roy Clement Williams
Paul S. Broadwell	Norwood Roswell Young
Carson Wade Gregory	Daniel Redford Fish
Aldos Cortez Barefoot, Jr.	Joseph Paul Jones

PETITION FOR CHARTER FOR ANGIER LODGE

(NOTE: For *Facsimile* of Charter Issued to Angier Lodge No. 686, SEE Appendix to Proceedings for 1951.)*

*Also, for Rolesville Lodge No. 683, Ahoskie Lodge No. 684, and Pioneer Lodge No. 685.

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION TO FORM A NEW LODGE

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in North Carolina:

The undersigned petitioners, being Master Masons, having the prosperity of the fraternity at heart, and willing to exert their best endeavors to promote and diffuse the genuine principles of Freemasonry, and for the convenience to their respective dwellings and for other good reasons respectfully represent:

That they are desirous of forming a new lodge at DURHAM in the County of DURHAM (which is - 0 - miles from DURHAM, the nearest lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction), said lodge to be named FELLOWSHIP, which is not the name of any living person.

They, therefore, pray for a dispensation to empower them to assemble as a regular lodge, to discharge the duties of Masonry in a regular and constitutional manner according to the ancient forms of the Order and the Regulations of the Grand Lodge.

They have nominated, and do hereby recommend, Brother CABELL BEAUCHAMP JONES to be the first Master, Brother HARRY LINWOOD WHITE to be the first Senior Warden, and Brother WILLIAM HUBERT ELDER to be the first Junior Warden of the said lodge.

If the prayer of this petition shall be granted, they promise a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Dated at Durham, N. C., this 5th day of December, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949.

Respectfully submitted,

NAME	LODGE	NO.	LOCATION	
Cabell Beauchamp Jones	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Harry Linwood White	Eno	210	Durham	North Carolina
William Hubert Elder	Eno	210	Durham	North Carolina
J. Ray Rex	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Wilson Warner Hopkins	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Harvey Jordan Rose	Acacia	94	Columbia	South Carolina
Malcolm Hinson Inscoe	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Clifton Stallings	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Maurice Maylon Fearrington	Eno	210	Durham	North Carolina
James Carl Fetters	Semper Fidelis	680	Midway Park	North Carolina
Furman Drury Munnamaker	Eno	210	Durham	North Carolina
William Preston Biggers	Excelsior	261	Charlotte	North Carolina
Lloyd Avery Allison	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Altus Thomas Fowler	Eno	210	Durham	North Carolina
Alonza Louis Crumpacker	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Alfred Robinson Wilson	Maysville	547	Maysville	North Carolina
John Middleton Henderson	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
James Wallace Foster	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
John Sylvester Hopkins	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Evan Alexander Erwin	Joppa	530	Charlotte	North Carolina
Grover Cleveland Long	Eno	210	Durham	North Carolina
Henry Richard White	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Robert Rufus Cannada	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Paul Clark Wheeler	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina
Frank Thomson Erwin	Durham	352	Durham	North Carolina

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION FOR FELLOWSHIP LODGE

DISPENSATION FOR A NEW LODGE

THE GRAND LODGE
OF
ANCIENT, FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS
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BY THE MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND MASTER

To All and Every Our Worshipful and Loving Brethren - Greeting:

KNOW YE, That the Most Worshipful WILKINS PERRYMAN MORTON, Grand Master, at the humble petition of our well beloved Brethren CABELL BEAUCHAMP JONES, HARRY LINWOOD WHITE, WILLIAM HUBERT ELDER, J. RAY HEX, WILSON WARNER HOPKINS, MALCOLM [illegible] TISDALE, ROY WALTON STALLINGS, MAURICE WAYLON FEARRINGTON, FURMAN DRURY MUNNAWAKER, WILLIAM PERETON BIGGERS, LLOYD ANDREW ALLISON, ATLAS THOMAS FOWLER, ALONZA LOUIS CRUMPACKER, JOHN MIDDLETON HENDERSON, JAMES WALLACE FOSTER, JOHN SYLVESTER HOPKINS, EVAN ALEXANDER EWWIN, GROVER CLEVELAND LONG, GEORGE RICHARD WHITE, ROBERT RUFFIN CANNADA, PAUL CLAIR WHEELER, FRANK THOMPSON ERWIN, HARVEY JORDON HAPE, JAMES CARL PETTERS, ALFRED ROBINSON WILSON,

of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Freemasons, and for certain other reasons, moving our Most Worshipful Grand Master, doth hereby constitute the said brethren into a regular lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be opened at DURHAM in the County of DURHAM by the name of FELLOWSHIP. At their said request, and from the great trust and confidence reposed in each of the said brethren, the Most Worshipful Grand Master doth hereby appoint CABELL BEAUCHAMP JONES Master, HARRY LINWOOD WHITE Senior Warden, and WILLIAM HUBERT ELDER Junior Warden, for opening the said lodge and governing the same until the first annual communication of the Grand Lodge after the date of this dispensation.

It is required of our Friend and Brother CABELL BEAUCHAMP JONES to take special care that all and every of the said brethren of the said lodge, as well as those hereafter to be admitted into our body by said lodge, be regularly made Masons; and that they do and observe and keep all the Constitution, Regulations, and laws of our Grand Lodge, and that the Ancient Landmarks be strictly attended to; and further, that he do cause to be entered in a book kept for that purpose, an account of the proceedings of said lodge which, when done, is to be transmitted to the Grand Lodge with a list of those initiated, passed, and raised, and otherwise disposed of under his authority.

Given at DURHAM, North Carolina, under the hand of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, and the Great Seal of Masonry, this 7th day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949.

Wilkins P. Horton
GRAND MASTER

Attest: [illegible]
GRAND SECRETARY

DISPENSATION ISSUED TO FELLOWSHIP LODGE U. D.

PETITION FOR A CHARTER

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The subscribers hereto respectfully represent that, on the seventh day of December, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949, a dispensation was issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for the establishment of a new lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, at Durham in the County of Durham, by the name of FELLOWSHIP Lodge, and that said lodge has worked regularly since that time as appears from the transcript of its records, by-laws, and returns herewith presented.

They, therefore, now pray that a charter be granted to the said lodge, with the following officers, to-wit: Brother CABELL BEAUCHAMP JONES, Master; Brother HARRY LINWOOD WHITE, Senior Warden; and Brother WILLIAM HUBERT ELDER, Junior Warden. And they do promise as heretofore, a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Given under our hands on this the 4th day of April, A. D. 1950; A. L. 5950.

Respectfully submitted,

Cabell Beauchamp Jones	J. Ray Rex
Harry Linwood White	Roy Walton Stallings
William Hubert Elder	John Middleton Henderson
Harvey Jordan Rape	Paul Clark Wheeler
Malcolm Hinson Inscoe	Charles Franklin Griffin
James Wallace Foster	Atlas Thomas Fowler
James Carl Fetters	Garland Thurston Colclough
Alonzo Louis Crumpacker	James Boyd Wolfe, Jr.
Roger Lee Tudor	John Sylvester Hopkins
William Preston Biggers	Grover Cleveland Long
George Richard White	Henry August Miller
Frank Thompson Erwin	Alexander Edward Cantwell
Alfred Robinson Wilson	George Cecil Guthrie
Wilson Warner Hopkins	Robert Ruffin Cannada
Furman Drury Nunnemaker	Lloyd Avery Allison
Evan Alexander Erwin	Maurice Waylon Fearrington

PETITION FOR CHARTER FOR FELLOWSHIP LODGE

(NOTE: For *Facsimile* of Charter Issued to Fellowship Lodge No. 637, SEE Appendix to Proceedings for 1951.)

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION TO FORM A NEW LODGE

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in North Carolina:

The undersigned petitioners, being Master Masons, having the prosperity of the fraternity at heart, and willing to exert their best endeavors to promote and diffuse the genuine principles of Freemasonry, and for the convenience to their respective dwellings and for other good reasons respectfully represent:

That they are desirous of forming a new lodge at HAVELOCK in the County of CRAVEN (which is TEN miles from RAINBOW LODGE NO. 479, the nearest lodge in this Grand Jurisdiction), said lodge to be named CHERRY POINT, which is not the name of any living person.

They, therefore, pray for a dispensation to empower them to assemble as a regular lodge, to discharge the duties of Masonry in a regular and constitutional manner according to the ancient forms of the Order and the Regulations of the Grand Lodge.

They have nominated, and do hereby recommend, Brother STACY THOMAS LUTTON to be the first Master, Brother ALBERT AVERY BAKERY to be the first Senior Warden, and Brother JAMES AMBROSE SMITH to be the first Junior Warden of the said lodge.

If the prayer of this petition shall be granted, they promise a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Dated at HAVELOCK, N. C., this 20th day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949.

Respectfully submitted,

NAME	LODGE	NO.	LOCATION	
Stacy Thomas Lupton	Atlantic	294	Swanquarter	North Carolina
Albert Avery Bakery	St. John's	3	New Bern	North Carolina
James Ambrose Smith	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Hugh Rozier Ausley	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Joseph Harrison Bramham	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Benjamin Dwight Bell	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
David Murrie Coma	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Marvin Speight Edwards	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Vernon Neil Epperly	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
George Bell Foy	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Ray Bonner Brooks	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Percy William Griffiths	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Archie Raymond Henderson	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Frank Newton Jolly	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Leon Robert Lewis Jr.	Aurora	300	Aurora	North Carolina
Jennings Bryan McKinney	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
James Conrad Miller	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Hugh Nordell Rhodes	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Oliver Lander Smith	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Mark Lewis Stamps	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Elmo Boyd Walker	Doc	124	Washington	North Carolina
Richard Ribird Wiberts	St. John's	3	New Bern	North Carolina
Joseph Samuel Brockwell	St. John's	3	New Bern	North Carolina
John Wheldon Hays, Jr.	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Malcolm Stanley McLellan	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Howard Taft Swindell	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Ray William Rhodrick	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Roland Grady Shell	St. John's	3	New Bern	North Carolina
Roland Grady Shell Jr.	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Roy Gene Gaskill	Ocean	405	Morehead City	North Carolina
Albert Leon Johnson	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
William Lorraine Pratt	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Neils Christian Barthelsen	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Louis Stirling Barthelsen	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
[illegible]	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
[illegible]	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Edward Lewis Thrubar	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Lacy M. Thrubar				
James Odell Smith	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Vernon Odell Smith				
George Albert Mabry Jr.	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Joseph Wilson Wilson				
John Walter Hinnings	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Odell Walter Hinnings				
Jesse Lewis Allen	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Edgar Lewis McLellan				
Jesse Lewis Smith	Doric	568	New Bern	North Carolina
Jesse Carraw Smith				

PETITION FOR DISPENSATION FOR CHERRY POINT LODGE

DISPENSATION FOR A NEW LODGE

THE GRAND LODGE
OF
ANCIENT, FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS
OF
NORTH CAROLINA

GRANTED BY THE MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND MASTER

To All and Every Our Worshipful and Loving Brethren - Greeting:

WHEREAS, THAT the Most Worshipful WILKINS PERRYMAN HORTON, Grand Master, at the humble petition of our well beloved Brethren, STACY THOMAS LUPTON, ALBERT AMEIN SALEEBY, JAMES AMBROSE SMITH, WORTH ROZIER AUSLEY, JOSEPH HARRISON BRANNON, RONIE FLOYD CHELP, DAVID DURIE CONNOR, MARVIN SPEIGHT EDMONDSON, VINTON ASTER EPPERLY, GEORGE BELL FOY, RAY BRUCE GRAVES, LEROY WILLIAM GRIFFITH, CAYTIE RAYMOND HENDERSON, FRANK NEULON JOLLY, JESSE ROBERT LEWIS, JR., JENNINGS BRYAN McKINNY, JAMES CONRAD MOORE, HUGH WARDELL RHODES, JAMES LANDER SMITH, MARK DEWEY STAMPS, GLENN COOK WALTER, RICHARD WILFORD WEBSTER, EDWARD EMMUEL BROCKWAY, SR., JOHN ALFRED MAYO, JR., COLUMBUS CLAUDE McLELLAN, HOWARD TAFT SWINDELL, RAY WILLIAM CHADWICK, ROLAND GRADY SHELL, ROLAND GRADY SHELL, JR., ROY JUNE MITCHELL, ALVIS LEON JOHNSON, WILLIAM MELVITH APPOTT, NIELS CHRISTIAN BERTHELSEN, OSCAR SIMMONS, HAROLD STUART LAWRENCE, JR., ELLOYD JAMES SHEPARD, VERNON ODELL SWOPE, JOSEPH GILBERT MORTON, OTHEL WALDO MINNINGER, EDGAR DUANE McCLELLAN, and JESSE GERAN SMITH of the Ancient and Honorable Fraternity of Freemasons, and for certain other reasons, moving our Most Worshipful Grand Master, doth hereby constitute the said brethren into a regular lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, to be opened at HAVELOCK in the County of CRAVEN by the name of CHERRY POINT. At their said request, and from the great trust and confidence reposed in each of the said brethren, the Most Worshipful Grand Master doth hereby appoint STACY THOMAS LUPTON Master, ALBERT AMEIN SALEEBY Senior Warden, and JAMES AMBROSE SMITH Junior Warden, for opening the said lodge and governing the same until the first annual communication of the Grand Lodge after the date of this dispensation.

It is required of our Friend and Brother STACY THOMAS LUPTON to take special care that all and every of the said brethren of the said lodge, as well as those hereafter to be admitted into our body by said lodge, be regularly made Masons; and that they do and observe and keep all the Constitution, Regulations, and laws of our Grand Lodge, and that the Ancient Landmarks be strictly attended to; and further, that he do cause to be entered in a book kept for that purpose, an account of the proceedings of said lodge which, when done, is to be transmitted to the Grand Lodge with a list of those initiated, passed, and raised, and otherwise disposed of under his authority.

Given at PITTSBORO, North Carolina, under the hand of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, and the Great Seal of Masonry, this 23rd day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949.

Wallace E. Caldwell
Grand Master

Attest: [illegible]
Grand Secretary

DISPENSATION ISSUED TO CHERRY POINT LODGE U. D.

PETITION FOR A CHARTER

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of North Carolina:

The subscribers hereto respectfully represent that, on the twenty-third day of December, A. D. 1949; A. L. 5949, a dispensation was issued by the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina for the establishment of a new lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, at Havelock in the County of Craven, by the name of Cherry Point Lodge, and that said lodge has worked regularly since that time as appears from the transcript of its records, by-laws, and returns herewith presented.

They, therefore, now pray that a charter be granted to the said lodge, with the following officers, to-wit: Brother Stacy Thomas Lupton, Master; Brother Albert Amein Saleeby, Senior Warden; and Brother James Ambrose Smith, Junior Warden. And they do promise, as heretofore, a strict conformity to the edicts of the Grand Master, and to the Constitution and laws of the Grand Lodge.

Given under our hands on this the 5th day of April, A. D. 1950; A. L. 5950.

Respectfully submitted,

Stacy Thomas Lupton	George Bell Foy
Albert Amein Saleeby	George Lemuel Brockway
James Ambrose Smith	Jesse Robert Lewis, Jr.
Jesse Geraw Smith	Roy William Chadwick
Lyric Raymond Henderson	William Guilford Andrews
Ray Bruce Gerock	William Jerman Abbott
Leroy William Griffiths	Roy June Mitchell
Hugh Wardell Rhodes	Glenn Cook Walter
Joseph Harrison Brannon	William Davis Cresch
Harold Stuart Lawrence, Jr.	Jack McCasky Verner
Alvis Leon Johnson	Winton Aster Esperly
Thomas Ervin Edwards	Frank Neulon Jolly
Marvin Speight Edmondson	Jennings Bryan McKinney
Othel Waldo Wininger	John Alfred Mays, Jr.
Worth Mozier Audley	Murphy Turner Clifton
Bowie Floyd Cheff	Edgar Duke Williams
Roland Grady Shelly, Jr.	Edward Henry Gill
Russell Perry Harris, Jr.	Warren Meier Fowlkes
Vernon Odell Smith	David Murie Conner
James Conrad Moore	Joseph Gilbert Martin, Jr.
James Lander Smith	Mark Dewey Stamps
Howard Taft Swindell	Columbus Clarke McLellan
Elloyd James Shrum	Roland Grady Shelly, Sr.
Oscar Sermons	

PETITION FOR CHARTER FOR CHERRY POINT LODGE

(NOTE: For *Facsimile* of Charter Issued to Cherry Point Lodge No. 688, SEE Appendix to Proceedings for 1951.)

Ocean Lodge No. 405

A. F. & A. M.

Morehead City, N. C.

November 23, 1949

Most Worshipful Grand Master of The
Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. of North Carolina,
Raleigh, N. C.

Most Worshipful Sir:-

We, who are citizens of Newport, Carteret County and members of Ocean Lodge #405 Morehead City, Carteret County, N. C., have opposed the petition for the organization of Cherry Point Lodge, U. D. to be located at Havelock, Craven County, N. C. unless concurrent jurisdiction can be granted over Newport, between the proposed lodge and Ocean Lodge. We wish to maintain the pleasant relationship with the brethern of our lodge in our own county. The oldest member in point of years in our lodge and three present officiers are residents of Newport. We have too, the only grandfather, father, grandson combination in our lodge. Concurrent jurisdiction would assure our sons the same opportunity we have enjoyed if they so desire.

We therefore, respectfully request that you grant concurrent jurisdiction over our community and so remove any objection from Ocean Lodge to the formation of the Cherry Point Lodge.

Signed,

Master, Ocean Lodge #405 A. F. & A. M.

Members:

Senior Warden

Steward

Attested: Secretary Ocean Lodge #405 A. F. & A. M.

PETITION FOR CONCURRENT JURISDICTION OVER NEWPORT
OCEAN LODGE NO. 405

CHERRY POINT LODGE UD
HAVELOCK, N. C.

23 January 1950

Most Worshipful Grand Master
Grand Lodge AF&FM of North Carolina
Raleigh, North Carolina

Most Worshipful Sir:

Re: Ocean Lodge #405 Jurisdictional Petition

A copy of the subject petition dated 23 November 1949 was read to the craft at a stated communication of Cherry Point Lodge UD on 19 January 1950.

A motion was made and approved by vote of the lodge that Cherry Point Lodge UD recommend concurrent jurisdiction over Newport, N. C. territory with Ocean Lodge #405 Morehead City to the Grand Master.

The above action on the subject petition is forwarded in accordance with Chapter 48-13 of the Code.

Sincerely and Fraternally

George B. Foy
George B. Foy
Secretary

Stacy T. Lupton
Stacy T. Lupton
Master

cc: Grand Secretary
Master, Ocean Lodge #405
A.A.Kafer,Jr., D D
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PETITION FOR CONCURRENT JURISDICTION
OVER NEWPORT
CHERRY POINT LODGE U. D.

ROSTER OF AWARDS OF JOSEPH MONTFORT MEDALS

Established 1940

(Arranged According to Date Awarded)

1940

M.·.W.·.MELVIN MAYNARD JOHNSON, Past Grand Master of Masons in Massachusetts

*M.·.W.·.JOHN HUSKE ANDERSON, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.·.W.·.THOMAS JOSHUA HARKINS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1941

*M.·.W.·.RAYMOND CROMWELL DUNN, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.·.W.·.CHARLES BAILEY NEWCOMB, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

†M.·.W.·.JOHN EDWARD ALLEN, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1942

M.·.W.·.WILLIAM MOSELEY BROWN, Past Grand Master of Masons in Virginia

*M.·.W.·.ALEXANDER BOYD ANDREWS, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*W.·.WILLIAM RITCHIE SMITH, Past Master, Raleigh Lodge No. 500, North Carolina

1943

M.·.W.·.HERBERT CLAUDE ALEXANDER, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.·.W.·.WATSON NEWBERRY SHERROD, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.·.W.·.CHARLES PATTERSON ELDRIDGE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

1944

M.·.W.·.HUBERT MCNEILL POTEAT, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

M.·.W.·.JAMES GILES HUDSON, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

*W.·.CREASY K. PROCTOR, Past Master, Hiram Lodge No. 40, N. C.

1945

M.·.W.·.JOHN HENRY COWLES, Past Grand Master of Masons in Kentucky

M.·.W.·.EDGAR WALTER TIMBERLAKE, Past Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina

W.·.F. W. MOODY WHITE, Past Master, Royal White Hart Lodge No. 2, North Carolina.

* Deceased.

† Nonaffiliated.

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS—CLASS "A"—(Continued)

April 17, 1950

NAMES AND LOCAL ADDRESSES	RESIDES IN Post Office	County	District	Lodge No.	Date Examined
30: Cashion, Ralph Ernest, 1912 Belvedere	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	261	4-19-48
31: Chambers, Adair Edward, P. O. Box 196	Salisbury	Rowan	25	99	4-16-46
32: Cowan, Wallace Edwin, P. O. Box 6296	Asheville	Buncombe	39	665	5- 2-49
33: Crawford, Herman Edgar	Kernersville	Forsyth	30	669	2-26-47
34: Creech, William Stevens, P. O. Box 1528	High Point	Guilford	22	674	4-16-46
35: Culler, Roy Bunyan, 601 S. Hamilton Street	High Point	Guilford	22	674	4-14-47
36: Dellinger, Steve William, 214 W. 11th Street	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	676	12-16-49
37: Dix, Howard Price, Rt. 3	Reidsville	Rockingham	23	384	4-19-48
38: Drummond, Grover Cleveland, 507 Clark St.	Rocky Mount	Nash	18	230	4-15-46
39: Dula, Thomas Clyde, P. O. Box 206	Weaverville	Buncombe	39	170	5- 2-49
40: Erwin, James Hiter, 124 Colonial Circle	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	1	5- 2-49
41: Farrow, Garrason Anglo, 313 Craven Street	New Bern	Craven	7	568	11- 5-45
42: Faulk, Joel Jackson, 2342 E. 7th St.	Charlotte 4	Mecklenburg	27	676	12-16-49
43: Fay, Scott Stuart, 5 Mildred Avenue	W. Asheville	Buncombe	39	650	11- 5-45
44: Flowers, Joseph Foster, 715 East 8th Street	Lumberton	Robeson	11	114	11- 5-45
45: Fox, Burke Wallace, 121 W. 7th Street	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	31	4-16-46
46: Francis, William Clive, Rt. 2	Nashville	Nash	18	7	4-16-46
47: Freeman, Neill Willis, P. O. Box 360	Biscoe	Montgomery	24	437	4-16-46
48: Freeman, Richard Tyler, 261 Broad St.	Lexington	Davidson	22	473	4-17-50
49: Garrison, Raymond	Weaverville	Buncombe	39	170	4-17-50
50: Gillikin, Lester Haywood, P. O. Box 275	Goldsboro	Wayne	6	112	4-15-47
51: Graham, Charles Durwood, P. O. Box 114	Enfield	Halifax	4-A	447	4-16-46
52: Grant, Biver Ernest, P. O. Box 278	Windsor	Bertie	2	5	4-15-47
53: Grant, Clifton Gordon, 109 Madison Street	Roanoke Rapids	Halifax	4-A	519	2-26-47
54: Greene, Anderson Bailey, 917 N. Lafayette St.	Shelby	Cleveland	37	534	4-17-50
55: Greer, William C., P. O. Box 69	Lexington	Davidson	22	473	4-14-47
56: Gregson, Sr., Wm. David, P. O. Box 54	Sanford	Lee	13	151	5- 2-49
57: Hadley, William Riley, 152 Colonial Drive	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	319	4-15-46
58: Hardee, Walter Herman, P. O. Box 398	Greenville	Pitt	5	284	2-26-47

59:	Hardy, Lloyd Dunn, 115 Montgomery Street	Raleigh	Wake	15	218	4-14-47
60:	Hardy, William Howard, P. O. Box 13	Siloam	Surry	31	390	11- 5-45
61:	Harrell, Britton	Colerain	Bertie	2	171	4-15-47
62:	Harrell, Samuel D., 208 Edward Street	Durham	Durham	21	210	11- 5-45
63:	Harrington, Craven English, P. O. Box 711	Raleigh	Wake	15	500	11- 5-45
64:	Harrington, Elmer Gibbs, 419 Cameron Ave.	Chapel Hill	Orange	21	408	4-15-46
65:	Harris, Charles Anderson, P. O. Box 241	Roxboro	Person	20	113	4-14-47
66:	Harris, Max Ray, P. O. Box 27	Troy	Montgomery	24	127	4-15-47
67:	Hartis, William Arthur, 111 S. East Avenue	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	25	626	4-17-50
68:	Hawks, Ned Armfield	Stecoah	Graham	43	498	11- 5-45
69:	Haynsworth, John Richard, 131 N. Second St.	Albemarle	Stanly	25	348	5- 2-49
70:	Haywood, Woodroe Franklin, P. O. Box 1288	High Point	Guilford	22	681	4-16-46
71:	Hicks, William Bradsher, Post Office	Roxboro	Person	20	113	5- 2-49
72:	Hill, James Elmer, P. O. Box 448	Thomasville	Davidson	22	214	5- 2-49
73:	Hodgin, Keith Grimes, 721 Worth Street	Asheboro	Randolph	24	188	5- 2-49
74:	Holoman, George Chreston, % Boylan-Pearce	Raleigh	Wake	15	40	5- 2-49
75:	Honeycutt, Gilbert Mansfield, P. O. Box 23	Fayetteville	Cumberland	14	679	5- 2-49
76:	Hooks, William Arthur, P. O. Box 450	Smithfield	Johnston	14	84	4-17-50
77:	Hooper, James Kelly	Robbinsville	Graham	43	672	4-17-50
78:	Hornaday, John Albert, 1104 S. Garnett St.	Henderson	Vance	19	229	4-17-50
79:	Hosaflook, Claude Benton, P. O. Box 74	Waynesville	Haywood	41	259	4-15-46
80:	Howard, Edward Cato, 808 Pollock Street	New Bern	Craven	7	1	5- 2-49
81:	Howell, Wiley Washington, 110 Kelly Avenue	Mooresville	Iredell	29	496	4-15-47
82:	Huff, Coy Jackson, 535 Fairview Road	Asheville	Buncombe	39	446	4-16-46
83:	Humphrey, George Dudley, 218 Princess St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	1	4-15-47
84:	Jackson, Sr., Ralph Hilliard, P. O. Box 1145	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	676	12-16-49
85:	Jarrett, Marcus Young, P. O. Box 484	Dillsboro	Jackson	42	459	4-15-47
86:	Johnson, Daniel Sloan, 1124 Eastern Avenue	Rocky Mount	Nash	18	602	11- 5-45
87:	Johnson, Henry McNair, P. O. Box 35	Willard	Duplin	9	595	11- 5-45
88:	Johnson, James Benjamin, P. O. Box 154	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	676	5- 2-49
89:	Johnson, William Lee, P. O. Box 41	Norwood	Stanly	25	150	5- 2-49
90:	Johnston, James Guy, 701 Wilder Bldg.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	261	4-16-46
91:	Jones, Robert Breathard, P. O. Box 455	Pink Hill	Duplin	9	13	4-15-46
92:	Jones, Vernon Lee, Rt. 1	Asheboro	Randolph	24	188	5- 2-49

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS—CLASS "A"—(Continued)

April 17, 1950

NAMES AND LOCAL ADDRESSES	RESIDES IN Post Office	County	District	Lodge No.	Date Examined
93: Jordan, Lawrence Grady, P. O. Box 215	Apex	Wake	16	584	11- 5-45
94: Joyner, Roy Thomas, Route No. 1	Rich Square	Northampton	4	488	5- 2-49
95: Joyner, William Edward, Box 303	Farmville	Pitt	5	517	4-14-47
96: Kahn, Berl Maurice, P. O. Box 542	Goldsboro	Wayne	6	112	5- 2-49
97: Kee, Otis Brown, P. O. Box 548	Belmont	Gaston	28	627	4-17-50
98: Kerr, William Edward, 815 S. Davidson St.	Charlotte 3	Mecklenburg	27	676	4-17-50
99: Kerr, Graham Pinkney, 2121 Dilworth Drive	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	676	5- 2-49
100: Kincaid, Arnold Wesley, Box 68, Bessemer City	Kings Mountain	Cleveland	37	339	11- 5-45
101: King, Haywood Sherrill, 114 South Fifth St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	319	4-15-46
102: Kinzie, Fred Clinton, P. O. Box 605	Spindale	Rutherford	44	673	4-16-46
103: Knauff, Earl Derr, P. O. Box 449	Jacksonville	Onslow	8	83	4-15-46
104: Kramer, Theodore Roosevelt, 1027 16th Ave.	Hickory	Catawba	36	343	5- 2-49
105: Lancaster, William Llewellyn, P. O. Box 245	Pittsboro	Chatham	13	102	4-19-48
106: Lawrence, Samuel Watson, 1302 22nd Street	Hickory	Catawba	36	343	4-19-48
107: Leach, Cornelius, 15 Louisiana Avenue	Asheville	Buncombe	39	650	4-15-46
108: Lee, Neil Archie, Route 3	Fairmont	Robeson	11	528	12-16-49
109: Lemmond, William Frank, 1500 Briar Creek Rd.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	261	5- 2-49
110: Lipman, Sol, 129 E. Franklin Street	Chapel Hill	Orange	21	408	4-15-46
111: Liverman, Edwin Wright, 28 Woodsdale Terrace	Concord	Cabarrus	25	32	4-17-50
112: Lowery, Cortez, Hendrix Street	Elkin	Surry	31	454	12-16-49
113: Lucas, Richard Harvey	Plymouth	Washington	3	59	4-16-46
114: Luther, James Robert, P. O. Box 282	Fayetteville	Cumberland	14	679	4-15-46
115: Maness, Wayland Hoyte, P. O. Box 14	Monroe	Union	26	244	5- 2-49
116: Martin, Robert Lafayette, P. O. Box 12	Bethel	Pitt	5	589	5- 2-49
117: Martin, Robert Vance	Lewisville	Forsyth	30	434	4-19-48
118: May, Dwight Junior, P. O. Box 35	Gibsonville	Guilford	26	271	12-16-49
119: McAllister, Horace Alex., 2612 Kilgore Ave.	Raleigh	Wake	15	40	5- 2-49
120: McCollum, John Clyde	Pittsboro	Chatham	13	102	4-19-48
121: McDaniel, William Roy, R.F.D. No. 1	Old Fort	McDowell	44	401	4-17-50
122: McLamb, Andrew Franklyn, 1619 Grace St.	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	1	5- 2-49

123:	McRae, Marshall Glenn, P. O. Box 131	Southern Pines	Moore	12	484	12-16-49
124:	Miller, Joseph Gracy, 214 Webb Street	Statesville	Iredell	29	27	11- 5-45
125:	Mitchell, James Harold, P. O. Box 1167	Greensboro	Guilford	23	656	4-17-50
126:	Mize, Charles Eugene, 205 Rolling Road	Burlington	Alamance	21	409	5- 2-49
127:	Morgan, Eric Earl, 602 Fairview Drive	Lexington	Davidson	22	473	4-14-47
128:	Morgan, Thomas Jefferson, 914 E. 22nd St.	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	30	167	4-15-47
129:	Mulkey, Harvey Lee, P. O. Box 72	Andrews	Cherokee	43	529	4-19-48
130:	Mullis, James Harvey, R.F.D. No. 2	Harmony	Iredell	29	299	4-15-47
131:	Murrell, Irvin Henry, 2840 Tuckaseegee Road	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	176	4-14-47
132:	Noe, Earl McIntosh, P. O. Box 231	Beaufort	Carteret	8	109	4-14-47
133:	Oakes, John Earl, 510 Julian Street	Greensboro	Guilford	23	552	4-15-47
134:	Otwell, Ronald Coble, 204 S. Audubon Ave.	Goldsboro	Wayne	6	112	4-17-50
135:	Owens, Frank Neely, 2915 Somerset Dr.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	676	12-16-49
136:	Owens, William Robert, R. F. D. No. 3	Walstonburg	Wilson	17	92	4-15-46
137:	Owens, Willie F., 4834 S. 28th St., Apt. B-2	Arlington, Va.	Out of State		284	4-19-48
138:	Pake, Charles Lester, R. F. D. No. 1	Beaufort	Carteret	8	109	4-19-48
139:	Panton, Harry Walton	Milwaukee	Northampton	4	418	4-17-50
140:	Paradis, Joseph Emil, P. O. Box 172	Kinston	Lenoir	6	4	4-19-48
141:	Parham, Edwin Thomas, P. O. Box 223	Madison	Rockingham	22	129	5- 2-49
142:	Parker, Norwood Price, P. O. Box 875	Clinton	Sampson	9	98	4-17-50
143:	Peery, Samuel Thomas, 1906 Green Blvd.	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	27	676	4-17-50
144:	Penney, Alva Elbert, P. O. Box 3011	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	1	5- 2-49
145:	Phillips, Ray Elbert, Box 564	Washington	Beaufort	3	675	4-15-46
146:	Pittman, Charles Ernest, 303 Daniel St.	Wilson	Wilson	17	117	4-15-46
147:	Polk, Charles Lee	Midland	Cabarrus	25	618	4-17-50
148:	Porter, Robie Daniel, P. O. Box 13	Benson	Johnston	14	431	4-19-48
149:	Powell, John Luther, P. O. Box 205	Wallace	Duplin	9	595	4-16-46
150:	Powers, Samuel Lewis, Meridian Street	Rutherfordton	Rutherford	44	91	4-16-46
151:	Prince, Hugh Williamson, P. O. Box 347	Dunn	Harnett	14	147	11- 5-45
152:	Quinn, Jerry Julian, P. O. Box 381	Kinston	Lenoir	6	4	4-17-50
153:	Ramsey, Charles Albert, P. O. Box 145	Bakersville	Mitchell	40	357	5- 2-49
154:	Ransom, Marvin Edward, Route No. 5	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	30	429	4-14-47
155:	Reynolds, James Ingram, 528 Sunset Ave.	Clinton	Sampson	9	98	4-14-47
156:	Rhinehart, Clarence Lee, P. O. Box 837	Rockwell	Rowan	25	657	4-14-47

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

April 17, 1950

(By Lodges)

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR
LODGE NO. 1	
Bullard, Coy Swinston	
Erwin, James Hiter	
Howard, Edward Cato	
Humphrey, G. Dudley	
McLamb, Andrew Franklyn	
Penney, Alva Elbert	
Ross, Marion Tillit	
LODGE NO. 4	
Paradis, Joseph Emil	
Quinn, Jerry Julian	
LODGE NO. 5	
Grant, Biver Ernest	
LODGE NO. 7	
Francis, William Clive	Campen, Henry Allison
LODGE NO. 8	
	Slate, Thomas G.
LODGE NO. 13	
Jones, Robert Breathard	
LODGE NO. 27	
Bird, Robert Macbeth	
Brown, Jr., James Castle	
Miller, Joseph G.	
LODGE NO. 31	
Fox, Burke Wallace	
LODGE NO. 32	
Liverman, Edwin Wright	
LODGE NO. 40	
Holoman, George Chreston	
McAllister, Horace Alexander	
Separk, Charles Page	
Young, Sr., Samuel Marvin	
LODGE NO. 56	
	Gay, Ballard Spruill
LODGE NO. 58	
	Batchelor, Willie Henry
LODGE NO. 59	
Lucas, Richard Harvey	

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR
LODGE NO. 83	
Aman, William A. S.	
Knauff, Earl Derr	
LODGE NO. 84	
Hooks, William Arthur	
LODGE NO. 90	
Smith, Richard Hall	
LODGE NO. 91	
Carpenter, Jonathan Harvey	
Powers, Samuel Lewis	
LODGE NO. 92	
Owens, William Robert	
LODGE NO. 95	
Skinner, Earl Wayne	
Taylor, Harry Stanton	
Vause, Charles Edward	
LODGE NO. 97	
	Green, James B.
LODGE NO. 98	
Parker, Norwood P.	
Reynolds, James Ingram	
LODGE NO. 99	
Chambers, Adair Edward	
LODGE NO. 102	
Lancaster, William Llewellyn	
McCollum, John Clyde	
Roberts, Robert Leonard	
LODGE NO. 104	
Carawan, Henry Benaga	
LODGE NO. 109	
Noe, Earl McIntosh	
Pake, Charles Lester	
LODGE NO. 112	
Gillikin, Lester Haywood	
Kahn, Berl Maurice	
Otwell, Ronald Coble	
LODGE NO. 113	
Harris, Charles Anderson	Green, James Willis
Hicks, William Bradsher	

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR
LODGE NO. 114	
Flowers, Joseph F.	
LODGE NO. 117	
Pittman, Charles Ernest	
LODGE NO. 118	
Barnitz, Reuben	
LODGE NO. 122	
	Powell, Thomas Grey
	Regan, Eli Troy
LODGE NO. 125	
Tart, Thurston Eugene	
LODGE NO. 127	
Harris, Max Ray	
LODGE NO. 129	
Parham, Edwin Thomas	
Swann, Elbert Vassar	
LODGE NO. 138	
Wolfe, Nathan Carl	
LODGE NO. 147	
Prince, Hugh Williamson	
Whitehead, Henry Gibson	
LODGE NO. 150	
Johnson, William Lee	
LODGE NO. 151	
Gregson, Sr., William David	
LODGE NO. 167	
Morgan, Thomas J.	
LODGE NO. 170	
Dula, Thomas Clyde	
Garrison, Raymond	
LODGE NO. 171	
Carriker, Grady Isaiah	
Harrell, Britton	
LODGE NO. 176	
Murrell, Irvin Henry	
LODGE NO. 181	
Adams, Eldon Shockley	

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR
LODGE NO. 188	
Hodgin, Keith Grimes	
Jones, Vernon Lee	
LODGE NO. 207	
Stephens, William H.	
LODGE NO. 210	
Harrell, Samuel D.	Mangum, John Marvin
LODGE NO. 214	
Hill, James Elmer	
LODGE NO. 218	
Hardy, Lloyd D.	
Swift, Hamil Newby	
Wynne, George B.	
LODGE NO. 229	
Hornaday, John Albert	Pleasants, Richard Clyde
Strause, Nathan P.	
LODGE NO. 230	
Drummond, Grover Cleveland	
Simpson, John Alexander	
LODGE NO. 244	
Maness, Wayland Hoyte	
LODGE NO. 259	
Hosaflook, Claude Benton	
LODGE NO. 261	
Cashion, Ralph Ernest	
Johnston, James Guy	
Lemmond, William Frank	
LODGE NO. 267	
Barkley, Kenneth L.	
LODGE NO. 271	
May, Dwight Junior	
LODGE NO. 279	
Taylor, Kenneth	
LODGE NO. 283	
Carver, James Henry	
Roberts, Samuel Alexander	

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR
LODGE NO. 284	
Bundy, William James	Brewer, James Woodrow
Hardee, Walter Herman	
Owens, Willie Franklin	
Willard, James S.	
LODGE NO. 299	
Burgess, Cloude	
Mullis, James H.	
LODGE NO. 317	
Smith, Wilbourne Mason	
LODGE NO. 319	
Hadley, William Riley	
King, Haywood Sherrill	
LODGE NO. 339	
Kincaid, Arnold Wesley	
LODGE NO. 343	
Kramer, Theodore Roosevelt	
Lawrence, Samuel Watson	
Thompson, Reid I.	
LODGE NO. 344	
Royals, Robert Jones	
Updegrove, Edward George	
LODGE NO. 348	
Haynsworth, John Richard	
LODGE NO. 352	
Bryan, William A.	
LODGE NO. 357	
Ramsey, Charles Albert	
Wilson, Lane Alexander	
LODGE NO. 363	
Stout, Lee Harry	
Wright, James T. C.	
LODGE NO. 381	
Abernathy, Vardy McBee	
Caldwell, James Ernest	
Vernon, Thomas Oliver	
LODGE NO. 384	
Dix, Howard Price	Glass, John Sidney
LODGE NO. 388	
Wright, De Costor	

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

LODGE NO. 390

Hardy, William H.

LODGE NO. 395

Bass, Leslie G.

LODGE NO. 401

McDaniel, William Roy

LODGE NO. 405

Thompson, Jr., Anthony Wayne

LODGE NO. 408

Harrington, Elmer Gibbs
Lipman, Sol

LODGE NO. 409

Mize, Charles Eugene

LODGE NO. 411

Brantley, George Westray

LODGE NO. 418

Panton, Harry Walton

LODGE NO. 423

Royal, Franklin William

LODGE NO. 429

Cardwell, Lupton Delmas
Ransom, Marvin Edward

LODGE NO. 431

Porter, Robie Daniel

LODGE NO. 434

Brewer, Joseph Clifton
Martin, Robert Vance

LODGE NO. 437

Freeman, Neill W.

LODGE NO. 446

Huff, Coy Jackson

LODGE NO. 447

Graham, Charles Durwood

LODGE NO. 454

Lowery, Cortez

LODGE NO. 459

Jarrett, Marcus Young

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

LODGE NO. 473

Freeman, Richard Tyler
Greer, William C.
Morgan, Eric Earl

LODGE NO. 484

McRae, Marshall Glenn
Williamson, Wilbur Holt

LODGE NO. 488

Joyner, Roy Thomas

LODGE NO. 491

Cabe, Frank Gudger

LODGE NO. 496

Alexander, Charles P.
Howell, Wiley Washington

LODGE NO. 498

Hawks, Ned A.

LODGE NO. 500

Harrington, Craven English

LODGE NO. 501

Smith, Neill Archie

LODGE NO. 515

Whitley, Walter L.

LODGE NO. 517

Joyner, William Edward

LODGE NO. 519

Grant, Clifton Gordon

LODGE NO. 528

Lee, Neil Archie

LODGE NO. 529

Barton, Olen Henry
Mulkey, Harvey Lee

LODGE NO. 530

Williams, Parks Oscar

LODGE NO. 534

Greene, Anderson Bailey

LODGE NO. 538

Cashion, Elwell Grundy

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

LODGE NO. 543

Smith, Arthur Gray

LODGE NO. 544

Rhyne, Raymond Earl

LODGE NO. 552

Oakes, John Earle
Thorne, Leonard Merivale
Westbrooks, Edward Marion

LODGE NO. 565

Stott, Percy C.

LODGE NO. 568

Farrow, Garrason Anglo

LODGE NO. 571

Wooten, Royal Preston

LODGE NO. 584

Jordan, Lawrence Grady

LODGE NO. 589

Martin, Robert Lafayette

LODGE NO. 595

Johnson, Henry McNair
Powell, John Luther

LODGE NO. 602

Battle, Elmo Elsworth
Johnson, Daniel Sloan

LODGE NO. 618

Polk, Charles Lee

LODGE NO. 626

Hartis, William Arthur

LODGE NO. 627

Kee, Otis Brown

LODGE NO. 650

Fay, Scott Stuart
Leach, Cornelius

LODGE NO. 656

Mitchell, James Harold

LODGE NO. 657

Rhinehart, Clarence Lee

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

LODGE NO. 665

Cowan, Wallace Edwin

LODGE NO. 667

Ruppe, Rester Epton

LODGE NO. 668

White, James Thaddeus

LODGE NO. 669

Crawford, Herman Edgar

LODGE NO. 672

Butler, Sr., Gordon Lee
Hooper, James Kelly

LODGE NO. 673

Kinzie, Fred C.

LODGE NO. 674

Creech, William Stevens
Culler, Roy Bunyan
Southern, James Wilson

LODGE NO. 675

Phillips, Ray E.

LODGE NO. 676

Baucom, Henry Clay
Dellinger, Steve William
Faulk, Joel Jackson
Jackson, Sr., Ralph Hilliard
Johnson, James Benjamin
Kerr, Graham Pinkney
Kerr, William Edward
Owens, Frank Neely
Peery, Samuel Thomas
Simpson, Jasper LeRoy

LODGE NO. 677

Apple, Arthur

LODGE NO. 678

Alford, John William

LODGE NO. 679

Honeycutt, Gilbert Mansfield
Luther, James Robert

LODGE NO. 681

Haywood, Woodroe Franklin

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

April 17, 1950

(By Counties)

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

ALAMANCE

Mize, Charles Eugene

ALLEGHANY

Royal, Franklin William

BEAUFORT

Carawan, Henry Benaga
Phillips, Ray E.

BERTIE

Carriker, Grady Isaiah
Grant, Biver Ernest
Harrell, Britton

BUNCOMBE

Barnitz, Reuben
Cabe, Frank Gudger
Cowan, Wallace Edwin
Dula, Thomas Clyde
Fay, Scott Stuart
Garrison, Raymond
Huff, Coy Jackson
Leach, Cornelius

CABARRUS

Bird, Robert MacBeth
Hartis, William Arthur
Liverman, Edwin Wright
Polk, Charles Lee

CARTERET

Noe, Earl McIntosh
Pake, Charles Lester
Thompson, Jr., Anthony Wayne

CATAWBA

Kramer, Theodore Roosevelt
Lawrence, Samuel Watson
Thompson, Reid I.

CHATHAM

Lancaster, William Llewellyn
McCollum, John Clyde
Roberts, Robert Leonard

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

CHEROKEE

Barton, Olin Henry
Butler, Gordon Lee, Sr.
Mulkey, Harvey Lee

CHOWAN

Campen, Henry Allison

CLEVELAND

Greene, Anderson Bailey
Kincaid, Arnold Wesley
Wright, De Costor

COLUMBUS

Stephens, William Harley

CRAVEN

Farrow, Garrason Anglo
Howard, Edward Cato

CUMBERLAND

Honeycutt, Gilbert Mansfield
Luther, James Robert
Ruppe, Rester Epton
Slate, Thomas G.

DAVIDSON

Freeman, Richard Tyler
Greer, William C.
Hill, James Elmer
Morgan, Eric Earl

DUPLIN

Apple, Arthur
Johnson, Henry McNair
Jones, Robert Breathard
Powell, John Luther

DURHAM

Bryan, William A.
Harrell, Samuel D.
Mangum, John Marvin

EDGECOMBE

Batchelor, Willie Henry

FORSYTH

Brewer, Joseph Clifton
Crawford, Herman Edgar
Martin, Robert Vance
Morgan, Thomas J.
Ransom, Marvin Edward

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

GASTON

Kee, Otis Brown
Rhyne, Raymond Earl
White, James Thaddeus
Whitley, Walter L.

GRAHAM

Hawks, Ned Armfield
Hooper, James Kelly

GRANVILLE

Powell, Thomas Grey
Regan, Eli Troy

GREENE

Skinner, Earl Wayne
Taylor, Harry Stanton
Vause, Charles Edward

GUILFORD

Creech, William Stevens
Culler, Roy Bunyan
Haywood, Woodroe Franklin
May, Dwight Junior
Mitchell, James Harold
Oakes, John Earle
Royals, Robert Jones
Southern, James Wilson
Thorne, Leonard Merivale
Updegrove, Edward George
Westbrooks, Edward Marion

HALIFAX

Graham, Charles Durwood
Grant, Clifton Gordon

HARNETT

Prince, Hugh Williamson
Whitehead, Henry Gibson

HAYWOOD

Hosaflook, Claude Benton

IREDELL

Alexander, Charles P.
Brown, Jr., James C.
Burgess, Cloude
Howell, Wiley W.
Miller, Joseph G.
Mullis, James H.
Wooten, Royal Preston

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

JACKSON

Jarrett, Marcus Young

JOHNSTON

Hooks, William Arthur
Porter, Robie Daniel

LEE

Gregson, Sr., William David

LENOIR

Paradis, Joseph Emil
Quinn, Jerry Julian

MARTIN

Smith, Richard Hall

McDOWELL

McDaniel, William Roy

MECKLENBURG

Baucom, Henry Clay
Cashion, Elwell Grundy
Cashion, Ralph Ernest
Dellinger, Steve William
Faulk, Joel Jackson
Fox, Burke Wallace
Jackson, Sr., Ralph Hilliard
Johnson, James Benjamin
Johnston, James Guy
Kerr, Graham Pinkney
Kerr, William Edward
Lemmond, William Frank
Murrell, Irvin Henry
Owens, Frank Neely
Peery, Samuel Thomas
Simpson, Jasper LeRoy
Williams, Parks Oscar

MITCHELL

Ramsey, Charles Albert
Wilson, Lane Alexander

MONTGOMERY

Freeman, Neill W.
Harris, Max Ray

MOORE

Adams, Eldon Shockley
McRae, Marshall Glenn
Williamson, Wilbur Holt

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER — CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

NASH

Battle, Elmo Elsworth
Brantley, George Westray
Drummond, Grover Cleveland
Francis, William Clive
Johnson, Daniel Sloan
Simpson, John Alexander

NEW HANOVER

Bass, Leslie G.
Bullard, Coy S.
Erwin, James Hiter
Hadley, Wm. R.
Humphrey, George Dudley
King, Haywood Sherrill
McLamb, Andrew Franklyn
Penney, Alva Elbert
Ross, Marion Tillit

NORTHAMPTON

Joyner, Roy Thomas
Panton, Harry Walton

Gay, Ballard Spruill

ONSLOW

Aman, William A. S.
Cardwell, Lupton Delmas
Knauff, Earl Derr

ORANGE

Harrington, Elmer, Gibbs
Lipman, Sol

PASQUOTANK

Smith, Wilbourne Mason

PENDER

Wolfe, Nathan Carl

PERSON

Harris, Charles Anderson
Hicks, William Bradsher

Green, James Willis

PITT

Bundy, William James
Hardee, Walter Herman
Joyner, William Edward
Martin, Robert Lafayette
Willard, James S.

Brewer, James Woodrow

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER — CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

RANDOLPH

Hodgin, Keith Grimes
Jones, Vernon Lee

ROBESON

Flowers, Joseph F. — Smith, Neill Archie
Lee, Neil Archie

ROCKINGHAM

Dix, Howard Prince — Glass, John Sidney
Parham, Edwin Thomas
Swann, Elbert Vassar

ROWAN

Chambers, Adair Edward
Rhinehart, Clarence Lee
Roberts, Samuel Alexander

RUTHERFORD

Abernathy, Vardy McBee
Barkley, Kenneth Lester
Caldwell, James Ernest
Carpenter, Jonathan Harvey
Carver, James Henry
Kinzie, Fred C.
Powers, Samuel Lewis
Vernon, Thomas Oliver

SAMPSON

Parker, Norwood P.
Reynolds, James Ingram
Smith, Arthur Gray
Tart, Thurston Eugene

STANLY

Haynsworth, John Richard
Johnson, William Lee

SURRY

Hardy, William H.
Lowery, Cortez

TYRRELL

Alford, John William

UNION

Maness, Wayland Hoyte

VANCE

Hornaday, John Albert — Pleasants, Richard Clyde
Strause, Nathan P.

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

WAKE

Hardy, Lloyd D.	Green, James B.
Harrington, Craven English	
Holomon, George Chreston	
Jordan, Lawrence Grady	
McAllister, Horace Alexander	
Separk, Charles Page	
Stott, Percy C.	
Swift, Hamil Newby	
Wynne, George B.	
Young, Sr., Samuel Marvin	

WASHINGTON

Lucas, Richard Harvey

WATAUGA

Stout, Lee Harry
Wright, James T. C.

WAYNE

Gillikin, Lester Haywood
Kahn, Berl Maurice
Otwell, Ronald Coble

WILSON

Owens, William Robert
Pittman, Charles Ernest

OUT OF STATE

Owens, Willie Franklin
Taylor, Kenneth

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

April 17, 1950

(By Districts)

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR
1ST DISTRICT	
Smith, Wilbourne Mason	
2ND DISTRICT	
Carriker, Grady Isaiah	Campen, Henry Allison
Grant, Biver Ernest	
Harrell, Britton	
Smith, Richard Hall	
3RD DISTRICT	
Alford, John William	
Carawan, Henry Benaga	
Lucas, Richard Harvey	
Phillips, Ray Elbert	
4TH DISTRICT	
Joyner, Roy Thomas	Gay, Ballard Spruill
Panton, Harry Walton	
4-A DISTRICT	
Graham, Charles Durwood	
Grant, Clifton Gordon	
5TH DISTRICT	
Bundy, William James	Brewer, James Woodrow
Hardee, Walter Herman	
Joyner, William Edward	
Martin, Robert Lafayette	
Willard, James Slade	
6TH DISTRICT	
Gillikin, Lester Haywood	
Kahn, Berl Maurice	
Otwell, Ronald Coble	
Paradis, Joseph Emil	
Quinn, Jerry Julian	
Skinner, Earl Wayne	
Taylor, Harry Stanton	
Vause, Charles Edward	
7TH DISTRICT	
Farrow, Garrason Anglo	
Howard, Edward Cato	

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

8TH DISTRICT

Aman, Wm. Albert Stephenson
Cardwell, Lupton Delmas
Knauff, Earl Derr
Noe, Earl McIntosh
Pake, Charles Lester
Thompson, Jr., Anthony Wayne

9TH DISTRICT

Apple, Arthur
Johnson, Henry McNair
Jones, Robert Breathard
Parker, Norwood Price
Powell, John Luther
Reynolds, James Ingram
Smith, Arthur Gray
Tart, Thurston Eugene

10TH DISTRICT

Bass, Leslie Gordon
Bullard, Coy Swinston
Erwin, James Hiter
Hadley, William Riley
Humphrey, George Dudley
King, Haywood Sherrill
McLamb, Andrew Franklyn
Penney, Alva Elbert
Ross, Marion Tillit
Stephens, William Harley
Wolfe, Nathan Carl

11TH DISTRICT

Flowers, Joseph Foster
Lee, Neil Archie
Smith, Neill Archie

12TH DISTRICT

McRae, Marshall Glenn
Williamson, Wilbur Holt

13TH DISTRICT

Adams, Eldon Shockley
Gregson, Sr., William David
Lancaster, William Llewellyn
McCollum, John Clyde
Roberts, Robert Leonard

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER	CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR
14TH DISTRICT	
Honeycutt, Gilbert Mansfield	Slate, Thomas Gorrell
Hooks, William Arthur	
Luther, James Robert	
Porter, Robie Daniel	
Prince, Hugh Williamson	
Ruppe, Rester Epton	
Whitehead, Henry Gibson	
15TH DISTRICT	
Hardy, Lloyd Dunn	Green, James Bryan
Harrington, Craven English	
Holoman, George Chreston	
McAllister, Horace Alexander	
Separk, Charles Page	
Stott, Percy Clifton	
Swift, Hamil Newby	
Wynne, George Bennett	
Young, Sr., Samuel Marvin	
16TH DISTRICT	
Jordan, Lawrence Grady	
17TH DISTRICT	
Brantley, George Westray	
Owens, William Robert	
Pittman, Charles Ernest	
18TH DISTRICT	
Battle, Elmo Elsworth	Batchelor, Willie Henry
Drummond, Grover Cleveland	
Francis, William Clive	
Johnson, Daniel Sloan	
Simpson, John Alexander	
19TH DISTRICT	
Hornaday, John Albert	Pleasants, Richard Clyde
Strause, Nathan Philip	
20TH DISTRICT	
Harris, Charles Anderson	Green, James Willis
Hicks, William Bradsher	Powell, Thomas Grey
	Regan, Eli Troy
21ST DISTRICT	
Bryan, William Arnold	Mangum, John Marvin
Harrell, Samuel D.	
Harrington, Elmer Gibbs	
Lipman, Sol	
Mize, Charles Eugene	

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

22ND DISTRICT

Creech, William Stevens
Culler, Roy Bunyan
Freeman, Richard Tyler
Greer, William C.
Haywood, Woodroe Franklin
Hill, James Elmer
Morgan, Eric Earl
Parham, Edwin Thomas
Royals, Robert Jones
Southern, James Wilson
Swann, Elbert Vassar
Updegrove, Edward George

23RD DISTRICT

Dix, Howard Price
Mitchell, James Harold
Oakes, John Earle
Thorne, Leonard Merivale
Westbrooks, Edward Marion

Glass, John Sidney

24TH DISTRICT

Freeman, Neill Willis
Harris, Max Ray
Hodgin, Keith Grimes
Jones, Vernon Lee

25TH DISTRICT

Bird, Robert Macbeth
Chambers, Adair Edward
Hartis, William Arthur
Haynsworth, John Richard
Johnson, William Lee
Liverman, Edwin Wright
Polk, Charles Lee
Rhinehart, Clarence Lee
Roberts, Samuel Alexander

26TH DISTRICT

Maness, Wayland Hoyte
May, Dwight Junior

27TH DISTRICT

Baucom, Henry Clay
Cashion, Elwell Grundy
Cashion, Ralph Ernest
Dellinger, Steve William
Faulk, Joel Jackson
Jackson, Sr., Ralph Hilliard
Johnson, James Benjamin
Johnston, James Guy

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

27TH DISTRICT—(Continued)

Kerr, Graham Pinkney
Kerr, William Edward
Lemmond, William Frank
Murrell, Irvin Henry
Owens, Frank Neely
Peery, Samuel Thomas
Simpson, Jasper LeRoy
Williams, Parks Oscar

28TH DISTRICT

Kee, Otis Brown
Rhyne, Raymond Earl
White, James Thaddeus
Whitley, Walter Lathan

29TH DISTRICT

Alexander, Charles Payne
Brown, Jr., James Castle
Burgess, Cloude
Howell, Wiley Washington
Miller, Joseph Gracy
Mullis, James Harvey
Wooten, Royal Preston

30TH DISTRICT

Brewer, Joseph Clifton
Crawford, Herman Edgar
Martin, Robert Vance
Morgan, Thomas Jefferson
Ransom, Marvin Edward

31ST DISTRICT

Hardy, William Howard
Lowery, Cortez

34TH DISTRICT

Royal, Franklin William

36TH DISTRICT

Kramer, Theodore Roosevelt
Lawrence, Samuel Watson
Thompson, Reid I.

37TH DISTRICT

Greene, Anderson Bailey
Kincaid, Arnold Wesley
Wright, De Costor

ROSTER CERTIFIED LECTURERS AND INSTRUCTORS

CLASS "A" LECTURER CLASS "B" INSTRUCTOR

39TH DISTRICT

Barnitz, Reuben
Cabe, Frank Gudger
Cowan, Wallace Edwin
Dula, Thomas Clyde
Fay, Scott Stuart
Garrison, Raymond
Huff, Coy Jackson
Leach, Cornelius

40TH DISTRICT

Ramsey, Charles Albert
Stout, Lee Harry
Wilson, Lane Alexander
Wright, James T. Carr

41ST DISTRICT

Hosaflook, Claude Benton

42ND DISTRICT

Jarrett, Marcus Young

43RD DISTRICT

Barton, Olen Henry
Butler, Sr., Gordon Lee
Hawks, Ned Armfield
Hooper, James Kelly
Mulkey, Harvey Lee

44TH DISTRICT

Abernathy, Vardy McBee
Barkley, Kenneth Lester
Caldwell, James Ernest
Carpenter, Jonathan Harvey
Carver, James Henry
Kinzie, Fred Clinton
McDaniel, William Roy
Powers, Samuel Lewis
Vernon, Thomas Oliver

OUT OF STATE

Owens, Willie Franklin
Taylor, Kenneth

RULES FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF THE LECTURE SERVICE

(Promulgated by the Board of Custodians June 11, 1948, and effective July 1, 1948.)

1. Lecture Districts are hereby abolished.
2. A Class "A" Certified Lecturer may accept an invitation to instruct in the Ritualistic Work from any lodge in the State of North Carolina, regardless of location.
3. Class "A" Certified Lecturers are urged to co-operate in this work by accepting invitations to instruct in the Ritualistic Work from lodges located near their residences.
4. Each subordinate lodge is required under Regulation 35-09 to have instruction in the Ritualistic Work for a period of not less than one week in every consecutive two years. For this instruction, the Grand Lodge will allow credit as set forth in Rule 5. At least fifteen (15) consecutive calendar months shall elapse between the dates of such instruction.
5. The required one week of instruction may be complied with in either of the two following methods:
   (a) The lecturer may visit the lodge for the entire week on one trip, and he shall give not less than thirty hours of ACTUAL INSTRUCTION, *excluding* travel time and time when he is not actually instructing; *provided*, also, that there shall be instruction on each of not less than five different days in the *same calendar week*, and for this class of service the fee shall not exceed $50.00 per week, or
   (b) He may make several trips to the lodge, in which case instruction must be given for not less than twenty-four (24) hours of ACTUAL INSTRUCTION, *excluding* travel time and time when he is not actually instructing; *provided*, also, that there shall be instruction on each of not less than five different days, and all within a period of thirty (30) days, beginning the first day of the lecturer's engagement, and for this class of service the fee shall not exceed $40.00 per week.
6. The Board of Custodians recommends that the instruction be rendered on consecutive days, whenever it is practicable or if circumstances render it more efficient, but this is not mandatory.
7. A Class "A" Certified Lecturer; during the period he is on the roster of such class, is authorized to instruct subordinate lodges for compensation.
8. A Class "B" Certified Instructor, during the period he is on the roster of such class, may give instruction in the scope of work coming under Class "B", for which he shall *not* receive compensation.

9. The Grand Lodge will allow a credit of the fee set forth in Rule 5 to each lodge instructed for the one week's minimum in every consecutive two years required under Regulation 35-09 and these rules.

   (a) A subordinate lodge will pay the lecturer the fee for instruction according to the class of instruction given, as defined in Rule 5 (a) or (b). After payment of such fee, the lodge shall, within fifteen days, forward the lecturer's certificate of service, under the seal of the lodge, and the lecturer's receipt for payment to the Grand Secretary, who will determine whether, under Regulation 35-09 and these rules, the lodge is entitled to credit for the instruction, and if it is, he will either reimburse the lodge by voucher the stipulated amount, or credit the lodge's account with the same.

   (b) All such certificates for reimbursement of fees for lecture service paid out by lodges shall be filed with the Grand Secretary before December 20 of each year.

10. A lodge desiring instruction in the Ritualistic Work shall make all the necessary arrangements and agreements for the service with the Class "A" Certified Lecturer of its choice. Immediately after such service has been rendered, the lodge shall

    (a) Pay all proper transportation, board and lodging expense, necessary to fill the engagement, incurred by the lecturer.

    (b) Transportation expense shall not exceed five cents per mile actually traveled, each way, when private automobile is used, or it may be the actual railroad or bus fare between the residence of the lecturer and the lodge served. Transportation expense may properly be the subject of a special agreement between the lodge and the lecturer, before the instruction is commenced. It is the intent of the Board of Custodians that travel expense, board and lodging shall not be made an unreasonable burden on lodges.

11. A lodge not entitled to instruction in the Ritualistic Work, under Regulation 35-09 and these rules, which accepts instruction from any Class "A" Certified Lecturer, shall pay the fee, as defined in paragraph 5 (a) or (b), for such instruction and the expenses of the lecturer rendering the service without reimbursement from the Grand Lodge.

12. A lodge may obtain special lecture service or instruction as often as it desires, but the lodge, in such cases, shall pay all fees (as set forth in paragraph 5 (a) or (b) and expenses incident thereto which exceed one week in every two consecutive years, as set forth in Rule 4.

13. Any special lecture service rendered to a lodge shall be reported within fifteen days by the Secretary of the lodge to the Grand Secretary, for the record.

14. The Grand Secretary shall prepare and provide all forms for certificates, reports and records under these rules.
15. When these rules become effective on July 1, 1948, all previous rules which are in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

By authority of Regulation 35-08(3) Adopted 1948
Effective July 1, 1948.

BOARD OF CUSTODIANS,

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Charlotte, June 11, 1948.

The Grand Lodge Of A. F. & A. M. Of North Carolina

OFFICIAL FORM OF CERTIFICATE

LECTURE SERVICE

1. THIS CERTIFIES that Brother_____, C. L., instructed this lodge in the Authorized Ritualistic Work on these dates, in full conformity to the Regulations and Rules pertaining to such instruction: (Note 1)

DATES	DATES
_____, 19____, _____hours;	_____, 19____, _____hours;
_____, 19____, _____hours;	_____, 19____, _____hours;
_____, 19____, _____hours;	_____, 19____, _____hours;
_____, 19____, _____hours;	_____, 19____, _____hours;

(SEAL OF LODGE HERE)

_____Lodge No._____

By_____Secretary
(Note 2)

Date_____ 19____

By_____Master
(Note 2)

2. THIS CERTIFIES that full settlement of the fee of $_____ (Note 3) has_____ (Note 4) been made for the instruction mentioned above. All expenses have_____ (Note 4) been paid, amounting to $_____ (Note 3).

Date_____ 19____

_____Lecturer
(Note 4)

NOTES:
1. The dates on which instruction was given and the number of hours on each day must be entered on the proper lines.
2. The Master and the Secretary of the lodge must each sign the first certificate. The lodge seal must be impressed where indicated.
3. The fee and the expenses actually paid must be shown on the certificate.
4. The Lecturer must fill out completely and sign the second certificate. If settlement has NOT been made for the fee or the expenses, write the word NOT in the proper blank space.
5. Both of the above certificates must be filed with the Grand Secretary within fifteen days after the payment has been made by the lodge. All such certificates shall be filed with the Grand Secretary before December 20 each year.
6. Forms may be obtained from the Grand Secretary.

N. C. OFFICIAL FORM 38

RULES FOR GOVERNING THE OFFICIAL STANDARD OF THE WORK AND THE VOCABULARY

(In Effect April 21, 1948)

The Official Standard of the Work and the Vocabulary adopted by the Grand Lodge in April, 1942, are to be distributed under the following rules made by the Board of Custodians, pursuant to Regulation 283, as adopted in 1942 (see Grand Lodge Proceedings for 1942, at pages 77 and 78) and as amended in 1945:

(Promulgated by the Board of Custodians, at Raleigh, N. C., December 19, 1945).

RULE 1. The Grand Secretary shall be the Custodian of all un-issued copies of the Official Standard of the Work and the Vocabulary, and shall issue them only upon proper written application. He shall provide all forms of application, receipts and other documents necessary to account for the same, and shall keep a record of all copies issued, and to whom issued.

RULE 2. Receipts for the Official Standard of the Work or the Vocabulary shall be given on such forms as may be prescribed by the Grand Secretary. Immediately on receipt of a copy of either, the brother receiving the same shall sign proper receipt, which shall be transmitted to the Grand Secretary promptly.

RULE 3. The Vocabulary shall be issued only to Secretaries of our subordinate lodges, who shall receipt therefor and be held responsible for the same. He shall transfer the Vocabulary, so issued to him, to his successor in office and take his receipt for the same. In the event he is unable, for any cause, to deliver to his successor the copy of the Vocabulary in his possession, the Master of his lodge shall take up his copy of the Vocabulary and re-issue it to his successor in office, taking his receipt for the same which shall be forwarded immediately to the Grand Secretary.

RULE 4. Only each of those in the following categories are qualified to apply for and obtain the loan of one copy of the Official Standard of the Work, to-wit: Masters, Senior Wardens, Junior Wardens, Senior Deacons and Junior Deacons of our subordinate lodges; Grand Lodge Line Officers, District Deputy Grand Masters; members of the Board of Custodians; Assistant Grand Lecturers; Certified Lecturers, and Certified Instructors, while they occupy the said offices and positions and while they are qualified as indicated in this Rule.

RULE 5. (a) At the installation of officers following the annual election, each retiring officer elective or appointive in the Grand Lodge and in our subordinate lodges shall deliver to his successor in office the copy of the Official Standard of the Work held by him, and in the event his successor has a copy, then the

retiring officer shall transfer his copy to a new officer entitled to the same, who does not have a copy, and the successor so receiving the Official Standard of the Work shall sign the prescribed receipt therefor, which shall be forwarded immediately to the Grand Secretary. It is the purpose of this paragraph to make it possible for a brother to retain the same copy of the Official Standard of Work originally issued to him so long as he is entitled to have the use of the same under Rule No. 4.

(b) In case a brother, who holds a copy of the Official Standard of the Work under Rule 4, should vacate his office or lose the qualification which entitles him to the use of a copy of the Official Standard of the Work, due to death, resignation, lapse of certificate, or for any other cause, then the Master of his lodge shall take up the copy of the Official Standard of the Work held by such brother and either forward it to the Grand Secretary, or re-issue it to a brother who fills the vacancy, if any, and take a receipt for the same, which receipt he shall forward to the Grand Secretary immediately.

Rule 6. No writing, marking or notations of any nature whatsoever shall be made in or upon any copy of either the Official Standard of the Work or the Vocabulary, and it shall be the duty of any District Deputy Grand Master or any Assistant Grand Lecturer or any Certified Lecturer, at any time, to call for any copy of either, and examine the same to determine whether this Rule has been violated; and if it has been violated, he shall immediately take up such copy marked in violation hereof, and forward the same at once to the Grand Secretary, and report his action to the Grand Master without delay. (See also Regulation No. 283, Paragraph (g) 4, 1945).

Rule 7. In case of loss or destruction of either the Official Standard of the Work or the Vocabulary, the Grand Secretary shall be notified immediately, giving a full report of the circumstances surrounding the said loss or destruction.

Rule 8. Neither the Official Standard of the Work nor the Vocabulary shall be used in any lodge while conferring the degrees, nor at any time in coaching or instructing candidates.

Rule 9. Neither the Official Standard of the Work nor the Vocabulary shall be issued to one entitled to the use of the same under those Rules, unless applied for in writing on the proper form.

Enclosed are forms of application which should properly be filled out and mailed to the Grand Secretary, if your lodge desires the loan of the Official Standard of the Work or the Vocabulary. The Master, the Senior Warden, the Junior Warden, the Senior Deacon and the Junior Deacon desiring a copy must each sign the

application for the Official Standard of the Work, and the Secretary must sign the application for the Vocabulary. *Each application must bear the imprint of the seal of the lodge.*

Fraternally yours,

THE BOARD OF CUSTODIANS:

CLYDE H. JARRETT, *Grand Master,*
ZEB V. SNIPES, *Grand Lecturer,*
CRAVEN E. HARRINGTON, *P. M.,*
CHAS. B. NEWCOMB, *P. G. M., Sec.,*
JAS. E. SHIPMAN, *P. G. M., Chairman.*

ADDRESS OF THE GRAND MASTER TO THE DISTRICT DEPUTIES

AT OXFORD, N. C.

April 29, 1950

Now, Brethren, you are District Deputy Grand Masters, appointed by the authority of the Grand Master and are his personal representatives each in your own District. I think that is important for you to understand. When, therefore, you go to visit a lodge or when you hold a District Meeting over which you preside, you are acting for the Grand Master in his place and are entitled to the honors of your position. Your duties there are to implement his orders and to carry out the instructions in the Code as to the duties of the District Deputies.

The first duty of importance that we notice in the Code is to visit each subordinate lodge in your district at least once a year. That, I should like to speak about a moment. The visit to the lodge should be a gala occasion. I should prefer that it should be on a night when the lodge is not engaged in degree work. If you want to go around and see how the lodge does degree work, then pick another night. I have seen District Deputies come in casually, get up toward the close of the evening, and ask the Secretary to record that an official visit. That is not an official visit. When you make an official visit, be received as you should be and get up and tell them what you would like to have them do. You should in your speech bear down on what I should like to be the keynote of all Masonic work for this year, which is *the spiritual force of Masonry.* Masonry is religious. Masonry is not in any way a substitute for religion. It is an ally. Call that to the minds of the brethren and point out that with the Bible on the altar and the opening and the closing prayer the religious center of Masonry is established in the lodge. Call to their attention also that King Solomon's Temple was the dwelling place of the Most High God. They will recognize the fact that Masonry is religious and they are meeting in a room that is a sanctuary.

When we pass from that to the business of the lodge, I should like to have you emphasize some things I said in my address to the Grand Lodge. Tell the brethren the importance of signing petitions. Tell them they must know that the candidate is a man we want in Masonry. Masonry is not a reform school. We want men in our lodges who will be able to profit by Masonry and who will be a credit to Masonry. The second responsibility is on the investigating committee. That has been stressed by some letters I have already had from lodges indicating that the wrong kind of men have crept in because, as is evident, the investigating committee did not do its work.

The work of the investigating committee is very important. No member of that committee shall sign the report on the word of a

member of this committee or any one else. Each member of the investigating committee must know by searching out the information that this man is worthy of being a member of the Craft; that he is in good standing with his family, business associates, and neighbors; in order that we might know that he is worthy of being a member of our Craft. I have had several letters quite recently from lodges wanting to know if they could have another ballot. In one case there was quite an elaborate story saying that through a misapprehension one brother ballotted on the wrong man. The lodge was very much upset. The Master must make it perfectly clear on whom they are ballotting so that every brother in the lodge may know and there is no misunderstanding. Once in a while we meet the story that some member of the lodge may be casting black cubes for un-Masonic reasons. No one knows exactly who is doing it and the only cure for that sort of thing is to have it brought home to the brethren by talking to them about the nature of the ballot, that they are voting for the good of Masonry, not to vent personal spite on the officers or members of the lodge, or on the candidate.

We come then to the instruction of the candidate. I need not deal with the Ritual and Catechism. You are all aware of the necessity of proficiency in the work. More is needed than mere proficiency. The work of the degrees must be well done and must also be done seriously, with feeling and sincerity, and we must above all else prevent un-Masonic conduct on the part of the certain members during the conferring of the degrees. There should be no undue roughness and no levity in the lodge.

The instruction of candidates is of prime importance. Unless they understand something of what they are going through, they will not be made into good Masons. We have the Lodge System of Masonic Education to assist in this work. In my address to the Grand Lodge I recommended that it may be made use of to such an extent as is possible in each lodge even if only a copy of the book is given to the official coach to use as he instructs the candidates in the catechism. He can read the lectures through and think over what he wants to say. Perhaps he is the best man to do it in some cases, to impart to the candidates the meaning of Masonry along with its ritual and make the future work more interesting. I have had some men say they were very much disappointed with the first degree, knowing nothing about Masonry, and that they found themselves somewhat surprised, even bewildered, at the simplicity of the degree. I think it is very important that the candidate should be given preliminary instruction. He should be advised that he is entering upon a solemn yet simple ceremony, that he should not be afraid but should listen, speak when spoken to without fear, and endeavor to absorb into himself the beautiful lessons of the degree.

I think most of you were at the Grand Lodge, but I would like to repeat this little story. A brother told me that according to instructions he went up one night to the Lodge Hall in Chapel Hill.

He was told to report at 7:30. He said he was sitting there in a chair and a man came out with a sword, went to the telephone and said "Come on down, Doctor, we are going to need you. We have a candidate." He said he did not get a thing out of the first degree. He was only waiting for the time they needed the doctor. Particularly warn the brethren against the all-too-prevalent practice of teasing the candidate by sly remarks about what is going to happen to him.

Urge the Masters to work on their programs. We are not going to have so many petitions and I, for one, hope we have gotten down to the place where we can learn some Masonry instead of spending all our time putting on degrees. I think we should try to have a program meeting at least once a quarter in each lodge, and oftener if possible. Do not call it an educational meeting. If you do the brethren will stay away. Tell the Master to start his meeting on time. Advise him to have some music. I think in most lodges there are brethren who can sing. If they cannot do that, they can get one of these little phonographs on which they can play records, and there are some very good Masonic records to be had. I should think the brethren of the lodge would learn a great deal more about Masonry if the Master would call on some member of the lodge, maybe someone who is not connected with the degree work, to talk about Masonry, or pick out a symbol in Masonry and get some discussion of its meaning and application. Things mean different things to people. Those differences are often very illuminating.

We have in the Grand Master's Award program points for discussion of the Code. I found a good deal of interest in this. Many of the lodges reported that they had held such discussions. We need to discuss the Code but also to discuss the meaning of Masonry because it is as important that we understand Masonry as it has come down to us. And, then, tell the Master when he has a program of this kind to keep time on his speakers. When some men get up and get to speaking they do not know when to sit down. I talked over in Durham one night and one brother said when they need a filibuster in the Senate he was going to send me up there. I have a strong suspicion that I talked too long that night. The time limit for each speaker should be clearly stated and enforced. Much valuable conversation takes place when the meeting is over. Advise the Master to close his meeting early so that those who must can go home. But encourage those who can to stay around. Then is often the time for real fraternization. Simple refreshments will help. This is to be encouraged. Go back in the old minutes and you will find that the lodges always met for dinner and there are rather elaborate ceremonies for feasts in the old rituals. Masonry should be a joyful experience and a few soft drinks and sandwiches help to promote pleasure. Dinners to which the ladies are invited with a good speaker to entertain them are well worth the while.

Urge the lodges to subscribe to *The Orphans' Friend.* It is the chief channel through which the Grand Master can keep in contact with the lodges and Masonry. I should like to see all of the lodges in this state subscribe to *The Orphans' Friend* for all their members.

Finally, I should like to have you encourage the members to take an interest in the community, to let their friends and neighbors know that the lodge is there. Members of the community should know that Masons are the leading citizens of the community. Take a day and go to the Public Schools. Do what you can to encourage them. Masonry should keep up its active interest in public education.

There may be differences in opinion in what I am saying next; but I am a great believer that Masons should take an interest in the youth of their communities and I personally feel that in the work of Demolay, Masonic Lodges can serve their communities along lines in which Masons believe.

To sum up, your major task is to visit your lodges. Be sure to examine the records and see that all is in order. Especially check on the copies of the OSW and the Vocabulary to see that all are in hand and that none have been marked. Confiscate any that have been marked and report to me at once. Speak to the brethren with authority and sincerity about the great work of Masonry.

Now we come to the District Meetings. There has been a tendency for the past years for the District Deputy to wait until he can get the Grand Master to hold his District Meetings. I plan to visit every district in the state during the year, but I am not going about to go through the routine of a meeting. When I visit a district I go to talk to and with the brethren. I much prefer a meeting devoted to general interest in Masonry at large. The District Meeting is yours, devoted to the promotion of harmony among the lodges. So, call a District Meeting and explain the Code as it pertains to the subordinate lodges. If you will write me any question you are not sure of I will see that it is answered. I don't say that I will answer it, but that I will see that it is answered for you. Instruct the Secretaries and advise with them about the importance of both accuracy and promptness in their reports to the Grand Secretary. Do what you can for the promotion of the Certified Lecturer program. As I have already said, urge the promotion of meetings for the study of Masonry. In these matters, you have your District Deputy Grand Lecturer to assist you. Each one of you will get a letter which Brother Kinzie, Grand Lecturer, has written relative to the duties of the District Deputy Grand Lecturer and the holding of Schools of Instruction. Hold as many as you think are needed. You must be sure that all is in order in your district, and I should like you to hold a District Meeting as soon as possible. When I do not come to these meetings, I should like

a report as briefly as possible—how many present; work being done; etc. District Meetings should be called as often as you think necessary.

One thing I should like to have you do toward the end of the calendar year—one thing we do not think about enough—you want to get your Senior Wardens together. They may be your next Masters. Prepare them to be Masters so they won't have the whole job to learn. Then call a meeting as soon as possible after the first of the year for the instruction of the new officers.

Beyond that I shall call upon you from time to time when I get reports of un-Masonic conduct. While the primary responsibility is on the Master of the lodge, I get reports about matters of this kind, and I shall ask you from time to time to investigate them. Check also on plans to improve old lodge rooms or to build new buildings. I should like to see all our lodges meeting in places worthy of Masonry. A Masonic temple is built in remembrance of King Solomon's Temple and should have the dignity of its model. It should have a place of pride in the community. There is no excuse for a dirty lodge room. Speak sternly to those lodges whose rooms are unworthy. At least the brethren can paint them and keep them clean.

The main task, summarizing what I have said, is to carry to the lodges from the Grand Master his wishes for a successful Masonic year, to promote in our lodges such enthusiasm, such inspiration, such joy in Masonry that those members who have not been attending will come back and attend, and that young men looking for something to assist them and to guide them in life will be happy to make application. Let us unite to make Masonry a vital force for good in the life of North Carolina.

THE GRAND MASTER'S AWARD FOR DISTRICT ACTIVITIES (1950-51)

The largest number of points determines the WINNER.

The trophy to be held by the lodge in the district which makes the largest number of points in the district. In the event of a tie the oldest of those lodges shall be designated to hold the trophy. In the event of a tie in districts, the winner shall be designated by the Grand Master.

Area Meeting means a meeting of the officers and members of three or more lodges in a district.

The Grand Master has designated the contest period: From March 15, to March 15. Final reports must be filed with the Grand Master on or before March 25. Award to be made at the Grand Lodge in April. Forms on which reports are to be made will be furnished by the Grand Secretary.

1. For each visit by the District Deputy Grand Master to a lodge in his district except his own lodge, (but count each *official visit* to his own lodge) ---------- 5 points

2. For each District Meeting, or Area Meeting held in his district ---------- 25 points

An Area Meeting or a District Meeting shall NOT count as points for the lodge in which it is held, but will count for the district only.

3. For each School of Instruction in the RITUAL held in his District ---------- 30 points
   (See note for minimum requirements.)

A *single lodge* may hold a School of Instruction in the RITUAL and the lodge and the District both receive credit for it; or there may be an Area or a District School of Instruction in the Ritual including several, or all, of the lodges in the district for which the district *only* will receive credit.

4. Each district shall receive as points the percentage of *lodge officers* of the district that attend all of the District Meetings, Area Meetings, and Schools of Instruction held in district during the contest period. (Other meetings are not to be counted and fractions of one per cent are not to be considered.)

For the purpose of this contest, only the 10 officers named in REG. 61-01 are considered; therefore, Chaplains and Marshals are not counted, and each lodge will use those *10 officers only.*

EXAMPLE:

District "A"		District "B"		District "C"	
Has	3 Lodges	Has	5 Lodges	Has	11 Lodges
Total	30 Officers	Total	50 Officers	Total	110 Officers
Meetings Held	**Officers Attending**	**Meetings Held**	**Officers Attending**	**Meetings Held**	**Officers Attending**
2 District	40	2 District	50	2 District	100
2 Area	30	3 Area	110	5 Area	200
3 Schools	80	4 Schools	200	4 Schools	150
7 Totals	150	9 Totals	360	11 Totals	450
$7 \times 30 = 210$		$9 \times 50 = 450$		$11 \times 110 = 1210$	
150 is 71% of 210		360 is 80% of 450		450 is 37% of 1210	

(Do not consider the fraction of one per cent)

5. a. For each member of the lodge in the district who passes the examination for Certified Lecturer *for the first time* ..... 25 points

   b. For each Certified Lecturer who renews his certificate ..... 10 points

6. If every lodge in the district files its Annual Return and pays its dues in full to the Grand Lodge before March 1st (This means that EVERY lodge in the district must comply. If *one* lodge fails to do so, then *no points* are given) ..... 15 points

7. Total number of Master Masons (including officers and visitors) attending the District or Area Meetings and the Schools of Instruction (This will be figured upon a percentage of the total membership of the lodges in the district, based upon their last Annual Return), for each point of percentage, (fractions not to be counted) ..... 1 point

EXAMPLE:

All of the lodges in District "A" reported an aggregate of 3000 members on the last Annual Return.

The district held 2 District Meetings ..... attendance 500
4 Area Meetings ..... attendance 500
3 Schools of Instruction in Ritual attendance 500

TOTAL Attendance 1,500

1500 is 50% of 3000; therefore, the district is allowed ..... 50 points
(Do not count a fraction of one per cent)

8. For each lodge that reads and discusses the Code of 1948, or that discusses a strictly Masonic subject for

at least twenty minutes at a stated or emergent communication or that has a program meeting with a speaker on Masonry for not less than twenty minutes 10 points

9. For each lodge that adopts and regularly carries out the Lodge System of Masonic Education for candidates as promulgated by the Grand Lodge..... 25 points

Points are not based on the number of candidates nor are the points prorated, but it is required that *every* candidate shall receive the appropriate lecture, and at the time provided for in the plan. Failure to give the lecture to *any one* candidate during the contest period disqualifies the lodge under this item and no points will be allowed for any lectures given during the contest period.

NOTE: The pamphlet containing this plan can be obtained from Grand Secretary. The cost is 25 cents.

ADDITIONAL AWARDS

In addition to the award for the best district, an award will be given by the Grand Master to the lodge showing the highest number of points in a district.

An award will be given by the Grand Master to the lodge in the state scoring the highest number of points in the state, but to be eligible for this award, the lodge must score at least 200 points.

Reports for the additional awards shall be made to the District Deputy on March 15th and he will report to the Grand Master the winning lodge in his District not later than April 1st.

RECAPITULATION

SUBJECT	POINTS Lodge	POINTS District
Paragraph numbers refer to item numbers on pages 1, 2, and 3.		
1. For each visit by the District Deputy Grand Master	0	5
2. For each District Meeting, or Area Meeting	0	25
3. For each School of Instruction in the Ritual held by the lodge (District and Area Schools of Instruction shall *not* count for the lodge in which they are held, but will count for the district)	30	30
4. For each *officer* attending District Meetings, Area Meetings and District and Area Schools of Instruction	0	1
5. a. For each member of the lodge who passes the examination for Certified Lecturer for the first time	25	25
b. For each Certified Lecturer who renews his certificate	10	10
6. For getting Annual Returns to the Grand Secretary and paying the dues in full to the Grand Lodge before March 1st	0	15

7. For each point of percentage of Master Masons attending all District and Area Meetings and Schools of Instructions	0	1
8. For each meeting at which THE CODE of 1948 is read and discussed, or at which Masonry is discussed for at least 20 minutes, or for each program meeting of not less than 20 minutes with a Masonic speaker	10	10
9. For adopting and using for *all* candidates the Lodge System of Masonic Education	25	25

NOTE: The *minimum* requirements for a School of Instruction in the Ritual shall be as follows:

1. Open and close a Master Mason's Lodge.
2. Dispense with labor at a stated communication.
3. Resume labor.
4. Call from labor to refreshment.
5. Call from refreshment to labor.
6. Work in all three degrees (including opening and closing in the Entered Apprentice and Fellow Craft degrees) omitting readings, prayers, catechisms, and charges.

The lectures on the First Degree and the Third Degree may be omitted, *but it is recommended that they be given.*

7. A *minimum of five hours* shall be given to actual work and instruction, and any less shall *not* be counted. The five hours may be used on one day or a part used on each of one, two or three days *within the same week,* but less than five hours within one week shall *not* be counted. A *single lodge* may hold a School of Instruction in the Ritual, see Item 3.

8. A *Certified Lecturer* shall be in charge of, and shall direct, the instruction; this is *mandatory*

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	GRAND MASTER	DEPUTY GRAND MASTER	SENIOR GRAND WARDEN	JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN	GRAND TREASURER	GRAND SECRETARY
1787	Samuel Johnston	Richard Caswell	Richard Ellis	Michael Payne	Abner Neale	James Glasgow
1788	Richard Caswell	Michael Payne	James Glasgow	Silas White Arnett	Stephen Cabarrus	William J. Dawson
1789	Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Silas White Arnett	Lunsford Long	Stephen Cabarrus	William J. Dawson
1790	Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Stephen Cabarrus	Isaac Guion	Frederick Hargett	Matthias Handy
1791	Samuel Johnston	James Glasgow	Stephen Cabarrus	Lunsford Long	Frederick Hargett	Matthias Handy
1792	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	Lunsford Long	John Macon	Frederick Hargett	James Ellis
1793	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Macon	John Louis Taylor	Frederick Hargett	Richard W. Freear
1794	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	John Ingles	Walter Alvis	Richard W. Freear
1795	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Henry Hill	John Macon	Robert Williams
1796	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Richard W. Freear	Robert Williams
1797	Wm. Richardson Davie	James Glasgow	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Richard W. Freear	Robert Williams
1798	Wm. Richardson Davie	John Haywood	Montfort Stokes	David Caldwell	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1799	William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	Waightstill Avery	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1800	William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Winslow	Henry Potter	Robert Williams
1801	William Polk	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1802	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	Nathaniel Alexander	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1803	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1804	John Louis Taylor	Montfort Stokes	John Hall	Robert Cochran	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1805	John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Robert Cochran	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1806	John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Robert Cochran	William Duffy	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1807	John Hall	Montfort Stokes	Benjamin Smith	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1808	Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Geo. Lee Davidson	Andrew Caldwell	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1809	Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Montfort Stokes	Calvin Jones	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1810	Benjamin Smith	Robert Williams	Calvin Jones	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Thomas L. Williams
1811	Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	Geo. Lee Davidson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1812	Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1813	Robert Williams	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1814	John Louis Taylor	Jeremiah Slade	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1815	John Louis Taylor		Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Robert Williams
1816	John Louis Taylor	Kemp Plummer	Calvin Jones	William Miller	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1817	Calvin Jones	John Winslow	James Iredell	Simmons J. Baker	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1818	Calvin Jones	John Winslow	Louis Dicken Wilson	Leonard Henderson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1819	Calvin Jones	James Iredell	Louis Dicken Wilson	Leonard Henderson	William Boylan	Alexander Lucas
1820	John Adams Cameron	Frederick Nash	Louis Dicken Wilson	John C. Ehringhaus	William Boylan	Bazaleel Gillett
1821	John Adams Cameron		Jas. Strudwick Smith	Joseph H. Bryan	William Boylan	Benj. A. Barham
1822	James Strudwick Smith	James Iredell	Joseph H. Bryan	Richard D. Spaight	William Boylan	Benj. A. Barham
1823	Robert Strange	Francis Lister Hawks	Thomas Clancy	Bazaleel Gillett	William Boylan	Alex. J. Lawrence
1824	Robert Strange	Francis Lister Hawks	Thomas A. Pasteur	Bazaleel Gillett	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1825	Hutchins Gordon Burton	Francis Lister Hawks	George E. Spruill	Louis Dicken Wilson	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence

1826	Hutchins Gordon Burton	Francis Lister Hawks	George E. Spruill	Louis Dicken Wilson	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1827	Louis Dicken Wilson	John E. Lewis	George E. Spruill	Jesse Speight	Benjamin A. Barham	Alex. J. Lawrence
1828	Louis Dicken Wilson	John Owen	James Grant	Samuel F. Patterson	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1829	Louis Dicken Wilson	John Owen	James Grant	Samuel F. Patterson	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1830	Richard Dobbs Spaight	Samuel F. Patterson	George Blair	John Hill Wheeler	Benjamin A. Barham	John C. Stedman
1831	Richard Dobbs Spaight	Samuel F. Patterson	Rufus Haywood	Daniel Coleman	Dirk Lindeman	Charles D. Lehman
1832	Simmons Jones Baker	William Davidson	Gray Little	John G. Marshall	Dirk Lindeman	Thomas J. Lemay
1833	Samuel F. Patterson	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	Edmund B. Freeman	Dirk Lindeman	John J. Christophers
1834	Samuel F. Patterson	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	John G. Marshall	Dirk Lindeman	John J. Christophers
1835	Lewis H. Marsteller	David W. Stone	Daniel Coleman	Edmund B. Freeman	Green W. Ligon	John J. Christophers
1836	Lewis H. Marsteller	David W. Stone	Henry Blount	James Maclin	Green W. Ligon	William T. Bain
1837	David W. Stone	Thomas L. B. Gregory	William W. Cherry	William B. Dunn	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1838	David W. Stone	Kenneth Rayner	William W. Cherry	Duncan G. McRae	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1839	David W. Stone	William B. Dunn	John G. Marshall	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1840	Simmons Jones Baker	William S. Baker	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Kader Biggs	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1841	Daniel S. Crenshaw	Thomas Loring	Thomas E. Pender	Davis Young	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1842	John Hill Wheeler	Jonathan H. Jacocks	Thomas E. Pender	Davis Young	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1843	John Hill Wheeler	David Lowry Swain	Phineas W. Fanning	William P. Taylor	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William A. Harrison
1844	Phineas W. Fanning	David W. Stone	Thomas S. Clark	Arthur S. Mooring	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1845	Phineas W. Fanning	Thomas Loring	Wiley W. Johnson	Talcott Burr	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1846	Phineas W. Fanning	William Gott	John H. Drake	Peter Adams	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1847	William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	Talcott Burr	William H. Mead	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1848	William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	John H. Drake	Job Hiatt	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1849	William F. Collins	Clement H. Jordan	William G. Hill	Job Hiatt	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1850	Alonzo T. Jerkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	James E. Allen	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1851	Alonzo T. Jerkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	James E. Allen	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1852	Alonzo T. Jerkins	Cyrus P. Mendenhall	Luke Blackmer	William P. Taylor	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1853	Clement H. Jordan	William P. Taylor	Peter Adams	James H. Moore	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1854	Clement H. Jordan	William P. Taylor	William K. Blake	Joseph Green	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1855	Pleasant A. Holt	William P. Taylor	William K. Blake	Joseph Green	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1856	Pleasant A. Holt	Alfred Martin	James T. Alexander	F. M. Cox	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1857	Alfred Martin	Lewis S. Williams	James T. Alexander	F. M. Cox	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1858	Alfred Martin	Lewis S. Williams	Henry C. Lucas	Daniel Coleman	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1859	Lewis S. Williams	Eli W. Ward	Henry C. Lucas	Eli F. Watson	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1860	Lewis S. Williams	Eli W. Ward	James E. Allen	Charles C. Clark	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1861	William G. Hill	Eli Watson	Daniel Coleman	Rufus K. Speed	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1862	Eli F. Watson	Edwin Godwin Reade	John McCormick	Rufus K. Speed	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1863	Eli F. Watson	Edwin Godwin Reade	John McCormick	Robert W. Best	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1864	John McCormick	Eugene Grissom	Robert W. Best	David H. Stephenson	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1865	Edwin Godwin Reade	John M. Hanpoldt	Robert W. Best	John Nichols	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1866	Edwin Godwin Reade	Robert W. Best	William Lander	John Nichols	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	William T. Bain
1867	Robert W. Best	James G. Ramsey	Robert B. Vance	Thomas M. Gardner	Cel. W. D. Hutchings	Donald W. Bain
1868	Robert B. Vance	Ellis Malone	Joseph B. Batchelor	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1869	Robert B. Vance	Ellis Malone	John Nichols	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1870	Charles C. Clark	Joseph B. Batchelor	John Nichols	Samuel H. Rountree	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1871	Charles C. Clark	Joseph B. Batchelor	John Nichols	Clinton A. Cilley	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain

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	GRAND MASTER	DEPUTY GRAND MASTER	SENIOR GRAND WARDEN	JUNIOR GRAND WARDEN	GRAND TREASURER	GRAND SECRETARY
1872	John Nichols	Thomas M. Gardner	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1873	John Nichols	Thomas M. Gardner	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1874	George W. Blount	Clinton A. Cilley	Samuel C. Shelton	Horace H. Munson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1875	George W. Blount	Eugene Grissom	Horace H. Munson	Robert V. Blackstock	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1876	Horace H. Munson	Clinton A. Cilley	Robert W. Hardie	James C. L. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1877	Horace H. Munson	Thomas S. Kenan	Robert W. Hardie	James C. L. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1878	William R. Cox	James C. L. Gudger	Chas. W. Alexander	Henry F. Grainger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1879	William R. Cox	James C. L. Gudger	Chas. W. Alexander	Henry F. Grainger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1880	Henry F. Grainger	James W. Reid	Robert Bingham	Charles H. Robinson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1881	Henry F. Grainger	James W. Reid	Robert Bingham	Charles H. Robinson	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1882	Robert Bingham	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	William T. Kennedy	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1884	Robert Bingham	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1885	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1886	Fabius H. Busbee	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1887	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1888	Charles H. Robinson	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1889	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1890	Samuel H. Smith	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	William E. Anderson	Donald W. Bain
1891	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Darius Wiatt	Donald W. Bain
1892	Hezekiah A. Gudger	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	William Simpson	Donald W. Bain
1893	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	William Simpson	William H. Bain
1894	John W. Cotten	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	William Simpson	William H. Bain
1895	Francis M. Moye	Richard J. Noble	Walter E. Moore	James A. Leach	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1896	Francis M. Moye	William H. Summerell	Walter E. Moore	Beverly S. Royster	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1897	Walter E. Moore	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1898	Walter E. Moore	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1899	Richard J. Noble	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1900	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1901	Beverly S. Royster	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1902	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1903	Henry Irwin Clark	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1904	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William Simpson	John C. Drewry
1905	Walter S. Liddell	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1906	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1907	Francis D. Winston	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1908	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1909	Samuel M. Gattis	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1910	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1911	Richard N. Hackett	William B. McKoy	F. M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry

1912	William B. McKoy	Francis M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1913	Francis M. Winchester	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1914	John T. Alderman	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1915	Frank P. Hobgood, Jr.	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1916	Alex. B. Andrews, Jr.	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	Leo. D. Heartt	John C. Drewry
1917	Claude L. Pridgen	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	Leo. D. Heartt	William W. Willson
1918	George S. Norfleet	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1919	Henry A. Grady	James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1920	James C. Braswell	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1921	J. Bailey Owen	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1922	James H. Webb	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1923	Hubert M. Poteat	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1924	J. LeGrand Everett	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1925	Leon Cash	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1926	John E. Cameron	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1927	John H. Anderson	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	A. J. Harris	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1928	Raymond C. Dunn	John J. Phoenix	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.	B. S. Royster, Jr.	Benjamin R. Lacy	William W. Willson
1929	John J. Phoenix	E. W. Timberlake, Jr.	B. S. Royster, Jr.	J. Wallace Winborne	Benjamin R. Lacy	John H. Anderson
1930	Edgar W. Timberlake, Jr.	J. Wallace Winborne	Herbert C. Alexander	P. T. Wilson	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1931	J. Wallace Winborne	Herbert C. Alexander	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1932	Herbert C. Alexander	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1933	P. T. Wilson	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	John J. Phoenix	John H. Anderson
1934	Roy F. Ebbs	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1935	Charles B. Newcomb	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1936	J. Giles Hudson	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1937	Watson N. Sherrod	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Thos. J. Harkins	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1938	Harry T. Paterson	J. Edward Allen	Thos. J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1939	J. Edward Allen	Thos. J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1940	Thos. J. Harkins	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1941	Charles P. Eldridge	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1942	James E. Shipman	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1943	James W. Payne	Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1944	Julius C. Hobbs	Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Herbert C. Alexander	John H. Anderson
1945	Clyde H. Jarrett	William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Herbert C. Alexander	Chas. B. Newcomb
1946	William J. Bundy	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1947	Luther T. Hartsell, Jr.	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1948	Maxwell E. Hoffman	Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1949	Wilkins P. Horton	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	William H. White	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver
1950	Wallace E. Caldwell	Herbert M. Foy	William H. White	Edwin T. Howard	Herbert C. Alexander	Wilbur L. McIver

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Kansas	February	Lynn R. Brodrick, Marysville	Elmer F. Strain, P.G.M., 320 West 8th St., Topeka
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Maine	May	Ervin E. J. Lander, Augusta	Convers E. Leach, Masonic Temple, Portland
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Michigan	May	Hugh J. Johnston, 234 Washington, Traverse City	F. Homer Newton, P.G.M., Masonic Tem., Grand Rapids
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Washington	June	Henry C. Heal, 122 E. Holly St., Bellingham	John I. Preissner, P.G.M., Mas. Tem., Tacoma 3
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NUMBER, NAME DISTRICT	POST OFFICE	DAY OF MEETING	SECRETARY And ADDRESS	MASTER And ADDRESS	NO.
			Post Office Address of Officers Are Same As That Of Their Lodges, As Shown In Column Two, UNLESS Different Address Is Shown Here		
1 St. John's (10)	Wilmington	2 Tuesday	Charles B. Newcomb, PGM, PGS, Box 653	Alva E. Penney, 502 South Front St.	1
2 Ro al W. Hart (4-A)	Halifax	1 and 3 Wednesday	Glenn S. Dickens, Box 126	Julian H. Shaw, Box MM	2
3 St. John's (7)	New Bern	2 and 4 Wednesday	Alfred A. Kafer, Jr., Box 388	John B. Derrickson, 311 Johnson St.	3
4 St. John's (6)	Kinston	2 and 4 Monday	Rodolph L. Nunn, Box 210	Julian B. McCullen, 603 Rhodes Ave.	4
5 Charity (2)	Windsor	1 and 3 Monday*	Biver E. Grant, Box 278	Clyde S. Tarkington, Rt. 4	5
7 Unanimity (2)	Edenton	Every Thursday	J. Edwin Bufflap, 104 E. Church Street	Herbert Williford	7
8 Phoenix (14)	Fayetteville	2 Friday	Johnnie B. Jones, 810 Branson Street	C. Wallace Jackson, Box 945	8
10 Johnston-Caswell (19)	Warrenton	1 and 3 Monday	J. Edward Rooker, Jr., Box 31	William D. Jones	10
11 Caswell Bro'hood. (21)	Yanceyville	1 and 3 Monday	Holland McSwain, Box 158	Henry W. Gunn	11
13 St. John's (9)	Kenansville	1 and 3 Thursday	Owen P. Johnson, Box 346	Wilbert A. Jones	13
17 American George (4)	Murfreesboro	1 and 3 Monday	William J. Parker, Box 5222	George E. Gibbs	17
19 Eagle (21)	Hillsboro	2 and 4 Friday	Charles M. Walker, 111 Queen St.	Giles M. Long, Rt. 2	19
27 Statesville (29)	Statesville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Robert E. Levan, Box 171	Ben L. Watts, Box 375	27
31 Phalanx (27)	Charlotte	3 Tuesday	F. William E. Cullingford, Box 122 (5)	Fred H. Hasty, 3017 Hampton Ave.	31
32 Stokes (25)	Concord	1 Monday	Dr. Sidney E. Buchanan, 390 S. Union St.	Edward W. Liverman, Woods Dale Ter.	32
39 Davie (2)	Lewiston	1 and 3 Thursday	Charles W. Joyner, Box 11	Leon B. Austin, Box 6	39
40 Hiram (15)	Raleigh	1 and 3 Monday	Samuel M. Young, Sr., 130 E. Martin St.	Frank A. Cella, 2707 Royster Rd.	40
45 Liberty (33)	Wilkesboro	1 and 3 Thursday	J. Johnson Sanders, Box 29	C. Presley Joines	45
53 Hall (1)	Indiantown	1 Wednesday	Willie H. Burgess, Old Trap	Celus G. Harrison, Old Trap	53
56 King Solomon (4)	Jackson	1 Tuesday	Harvey D. Hart, Box 7	Horace A. Britton	56
58 Concord (18)	Tarboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	James S. Day, Battle Ave.	Lucius G. Sheffield, 306 E. Granville St.	58
59 Perseverance (3)	Plymouth	Every Tuesday	Hubert H. Allen, Box 386	William A. Roebuck	59
64 Kilwinning (26)	Wadesboro	2 and 4 Thursday	Nathan T. Parker, Rt. 1	Walter W. Marks, Pee Dee	64
75 Widow's Son (1)	Camden	2 and 4 Friday	Richard K. Hollomon, 502 W. Cedar St., Elizabeth City	Malachi D. Burgess	75
76 Greensboro (23)	Greensboro	2 and 4 Thursday	Franklin J. Sorell, Box 825	John W. Crews, Jr., 618 N. Mendenhall St.	76
81 Zion (7)	Trenton	1 and 3 Thursday	Frederick W. Foscue, Box 184	Lewis T. Mallard	81
83 LaFayette (8)	Jacksonville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Edward B. Smith, Box 691	Russell F. Brendle	83
84 Fellowship (14)	Smithfield	1 and 3 Thursday	Frederick F. Faircloth, Jr., Rt. 3	Roy Strickland, Box 331	84
85 Morning Star (18)	Nashville	2 and 4 Tuesday	E. L. Matthews, Box 383	Jack R. Nelms, Box 275	85
90 Skewarkee (2)	Williamston	2 and 4 Tuesday	Laurence G. Lindsley, Box 70	Paul Bailey, Everetts	90
91 Western Star (44)	Rutherfordton	1 & 3 T after 1 & 3 M	William O. Geer, Box 551	William E. Poag, % Grace Mill	91
92 Joseph Warren (17)	Stantonsburg	1 and 3 Thursday	Louis F. Hales, Box 60	G. Lee Best	92
95 Jerusalem (6)	Hookerton	2 Tuesday	Charlie D. Coston, Box 16	James K. Hall, Rt. 1	95

97	Millbrook (15)	Millbrook	Tu. after 1 and 3 Sun.	George W. White, Rt. 1, Raleigh	William F. Hendricks, Rt. 5, Raleigh	97
98	Hiram (9)	Clinton	1 and 3 Tuesday	Norwood P. Parker, Box 875	Junius H. Lewis, Box 324	98
99	Fulton (25)	Salisbury	Every Friday	Thomas W. Summersett, Jr., Box 547	George I. Parrish, 523 South Ellis St.	99
102	Columbus (13)	Pittsboro	1 Tuesday	William L. Landcaster, Box 245	John Bell, Jr.	102
104	Orr (3)	Washington	1 and 3 Tuesday	Millard F. McKeel, Box 505	George W. Taylor	104
106	Perquimans (1)	Hertford	Every Tuesday	Carroll R. Holmes, 5 Grubb St.	Allan B. Bonner	106
109	Franklin (8)	Beaufort	1 and 3 Monday	E. Wilfred Downum, 419 Front St.	Charles L. Pake, R. F. D.	109
112	Wayne (6)	Goldsboro	1 and 3 Monday	Lester H. Gillikin, Box 275	Deward M. Heath, 404 East Ash St.	112
113	Person (20)	Roxboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	Charles A. Harris, Box 241	William B. Hicks	113
114	St. Alban's (11)	Lumberton	1 Tuesday	Evans M. Gibson, Box 904	James W. Phillips, East 7th St.	114
115	Holly Springs (16)	Holly Springs	2 Tuesday	Ralph C. Stephens, Box 826, Raleigh	Harold Brewer	115
117	Mount Lebanon (17)	Wilson	1 and 3 Monday	Thomas A. Ham, Box 913	Russell E. Wood, Box 1099	117
118	Mount Hermon (39)	Asheville	1 Thursday	Reuben Barnitz, Masonic Temple	Robert I. Presley, % Coca Cola Bot. Co.	118
122	Oxford (20)	Oxford	1 and 3 Monday	Eli T. Regan, Oxford Orphanage	Ralph V. Boswood, 116 Franklin St.	122
123	Franklinton (19)	Franklinton	1 and 3 T and last S.	John W. Wheelous, Box 194	Bayard L. Bragg, Sr., Rt. 1	123
125	Mill Creek (9)	Newton Grove	1 and 3 Thursday	Luby Denning, Rt. 1	Gordon G. Tart, Rt. 2	125
126	Gatesville (1)	Gatesville	1 and 3 Thursday	Thomas L. Carter, Jr., Box 253	Joseph G. Pollock, Box 66	126
127	Blackmer (24)	Mount Gilead	1 and 3 Tuesday	Calvin T. Haywood, Box 206	David H. Harris, Troy	127
128	Hanks (24)	Franklinville	3 Saturday	Thomas J. Kivett, Rt. 1	James A. Cheek, Rt. 1, Asheboro	128
129	Dan River (22)	Madison	1 and 3 Monday	Hubert W. Hawkins, Box 362	Charlie F. Knight, Stoneville	129
132	Radiance (6)	Snow Hill	1 Friday	Haywood C. Hill, Rt. 2	Dallas C. Taylor, Rt. 3	132
134	Mocksville (30)	Mocksville	*1 and 3 Friday	Charles S. Anderson, Wilkesboro Street	Sam S. Short, Jr.	134
136	Leaksville (23)	Leaksville	1 and 3 Monday	Bennet Noce, Box 701	Lawrence W. Cox, Box 524	136
137	Lincoln (28)	Lincolnton	1 Monday	Frank P. Heavner, 3 W. Chestnut St.	Barnett C. Lineberger, Jr.	137
138	King Solomon (10)	Burgaw	2 Friday	Tate T. Murphy, Box 98	John J. Malpass, Rt. 2	138
143	Mount Vernon (13)	Bonlee	2 Sat. and 4 Friday	Albert W. Davis, Box 22	W. Bunn Emerson, Bear Creek	143
145	Junaluskee (42)	Franklin	1 and 3 Tuesday	Frank H. Calloway, Box 302	J. Ward Long, Box 132	145
146	Cherokee (43)	Murphy	1 Monday	Harest E. King, 204 Central Ave.	Frank Ferguson, Rt. 1	146
147	Palmyra (14)	Dunn	1 and 3 Tuesday	Charles R. Storey, Box 125	Henry G. Whitehead, Box 31	147
149	Adoniram (20)	Cornwall	4 Saturday	Joseph J. Moore, Rt. 1, Box 58, Nelson, Va.	Bailey A. Yancey, Rt. 1, Buffalo Junction, Va.	149
150	Pee Dee (25)	Norwood	1 and 3 Thursday	Robert M. Loveladv, Box C	David C. Lee, Box 202	150
151	Sanford (13)	Sanford	2 and 4 Tuesday	William B. Burroughs, Box 583	C. Broadus Foushee, 534 Sunset Dr.	151
154	Scotch Ireland (25)	Cleveland	2 and 4 Friday	W. Preston Barber, Box 241	Milton N. McLaughlin	154
155	White Stone (15)	Wakefield	4 S Noon and 2 W.	William O. King, Rt. 4, Zebulon	Wiley G. Broughton, Rt. 4, Zebulon	155
158	Knap of Reeds (21)	Bahama	3 Wednesday	Robert H. Harris, Box 8	Bernice Wilkins, Rt. 1	158
162	Yadkin (30)	Yadkinville	1 and 3 Monday	Grady M. Mackie, Box 91	William K. Hayes, Rt. 1, Boonville	162
165	Archer (15)	Clayton, RFD	1 Saturday	Luther T. Davis, Rt. 1, Zebulon	Hoyt L. Narron, Rt. 1, Middlesex	165
167	Winston (30)	Winston-Salem	2 Monday	Thomas J. Morgan, Box 1221	Musser L. Colley, 1030 East Sprague St.	167
170	Blackmer (39)	Weaverville	1 Tues.; December 27	Stanley L. West	Thomas C. Dula	170
171	Colerain (2)	Colerain	1 and 3 Thursday	Robert S. Holley, Box 21	William E. White	171
172	Buffalo (13)	Sanford	1 and 3 Monday	John L. Covington, Box 175, Jonesboro Hts.	Pell K. Winstead, R-8, Jonesboro Hts.	172
174	Geo. Washington (16)	Apex, Rt. 1	1 Thursday	Robert W. Seymour, Rt. 2	Ray O. Fearrington, Rt. 3	174
176	Mecklenburg (27)	Davidson	1 and 3 Tuesday	Walter S. Henderson, Box 253	Edward J. Erwin, Box 366	176
181	Carthage (13)	Carthage	1 and 3 Tuesday	Harold M. Parker, Box 311	Alton Hayes, Box 402	181
187	Central Cross (18)	Hunts	2 and 4 Monday	Millard B. Mitchell, Drawer D, Spring Hope	Augustus Neville, Spring Hope	187

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188 Balfour (24)	Asheboro	1 and 3 Monday	Washington I. Burrows, 123 S. Elm Street	Virgil B. Redding, 332 Frazier St.	188
190 Fair Bluff (10)	Fair Bluff	2 and 4 Thursday	Wilton A. Thigpen, Rt. 2, Box 263	Wiley A. Bracy, Sr.	190
191 Granite (15)	Clayton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Paul A. Williams, 405 O'Neil St.	Arthur C. Atkinson, Jr.	191
198 Cary (16)	Cary	1 and 3 Monday	Everette C. Sanderford, Box 27	Horace G. Edwards, Western Blvd., Raleigh	198
202 Cleveland (37)	Shelby	1 Friday	Russell G. Laughridge, Box 247	Eugene F. Messick, 101 W. Warren St.	202
203 Roanoke (4-A)	Weldon	1 Tuesday	Paul E. Merchant, 317 Woodlawn Avenue	Louis W. Edwards, 323 Washington Ave.	203
205 Long Creek (27)	Huntersville	2 and 4 Friday	Wm. F. Caldwell, Rt. 9, Box 340, Charlotte	Paul H. Irvin, RFD	205
206 Mingo (9)	Dunn, RFD	1 Sat. and 3 Friday	William S. Strickland, Jr., Rt. 1	Boyd L. Peters, Rt. 5	206
207 Lebanon (10)	Whiteville	1 and 3 Friday	Samuel J. Blackwell, Box 272	John C. Anderson, 501 E. Calhoun St.	207
208 Mount Olive (6)	Mount Olive	1 and 3 Tuesday	Cecil J. Winstead, Box 107	Jehu J. Hollowell, Jr.	208
210 Eno (21)	Durham	1 and 3 Tuesday	O. M. Brown, No. 2 Glenn Apts. Dacian Ave.	John C. Jester, Rt. 3	210
214 Thomasville (22)	Thomasville	1 and 3 Friday	Julian F. Garner, Box 601	Walter L. Rachel, 109 Chestnut St.	214
217 Catawba Valley (36)	Morganton	2 Thursday	J. Edwin Cox, Box 535	Joe B. Leonard, Glen Alpine	217
218 William G. Hill (15)	Raleigh	2 and 4 Monday	Karl B. Glenn, Box 5542, State College Sta.	Joseph J. Crowder, 420 Harding St.	218
226 Wilson (29)	Olin	Sat. before 2 and 4 Sun.	David E. White, Rt. 2, Statesville	Clarence E. Madison, Rt. 1	226
229 Henderson (19)	Henderson	1 and 3 Tuesday	Calvin Falkner, 614 Andrews Ave.	Thomas W. Parham, Clark St.	229
230 Corinthian (18)	Rocky Mount	2 Thursday	D. York Brannock, Act., 1509 Beal St.	Lonnie L. Pridgen, 445 N. Mercer St.	230
231 William T. Bain (16)	Raleigh, Rt. 3	W after 3 Sun.	T. Glenn Ogburn, Rt. 1, Willow Spring	James R. Collier, Garner	231
233 Lenoir (6)	La Grange	1 and 3 Thursday	Wade H. Ferguson	George L. Mewborn, Box 396	233
237 Mystic Tie (44)	Marion	1 and 3 Friday	D. Patrick Davis, Jr., Box 167	William A. Smith, 227 E. Court St.	237
240 Wiccacon (2)	Harrellsville	2 and 4 Thursday	George O. O'Berry, Box 100	Lloyd M. Askew, Rt. 1	240
243 Grifton (5)	Grifton	1 Wednesday	Joseph W. Gilbert, Box 205	Joseph M. Hart	243
244 Monroe (26)	Monroe	1 and 3 Thursday	John E. Stewart, 616 Lancaster Avenue	Francis A. DeBay, 600 West Jefferson St.	244
248 Catawba (36)	Newton	1 and 3 Friday	Boyce Harwell, Box 5	Berry F. Wagoner, 203 W. Seventh St.	248
249 Pythagoras (10)	Southport	3 Tuesday	William McDowell, Box 295	Walter L. Aldridge, Box 294	249
253 Lee (29)	Taylorsville	2 and 4 Friday	David C. Campbell, Box 253	Waverly M. Moose	253
257 Kenly (17)	Kenly	1 and 3 Tuesday	H. Elwin Watson, Box 97	John B. Long	257
258 Fuquay (16)	Fuquay Springs	Tu. after 1 and 3 Su.	Willie G. Farabow, Box 385	Cyrus M. Matthews	258
259 Waynesville (41)	Waynesville	1 Friday	Claude B. Hosaflook, Box 74	Walter F. Sprinkle	259
261 Excelsior (27)	Charlotte	1 and 3 Monday	James G. Johnston, Box 761	Ralph E. Cashion, 1912 Belvedere Ave.	261
262 Hibriten (36)	Lenoir	1 Thursday	Junius E. Shell, Box 672	T. Glen Miller, Jr., 307 Maple Dr.	262
263 Gaston (28)	Dallas	2 Monday	James L. Durham, Box 182	Edgar W. Baker, High Shoals	263
265 Farmington (30)	Farmington	2 Friday	S. Wade Furches, Rt. 2, Mocksville	Wyllis E. James	265
267 Dunn's Rock (38)	Brevard	2 and 4 Thursday	Henry R. Henderson, Box 563	Dewey H. Winchester, Sr., Rosman	267
271 Tobasco (23)	Gibsonville	2 Friday	Robert E. Sheahan, Box 44, Whitsett	Dwight J. Shoffner	271
272 Bingham (21)	Mebane	3 Monday	Rev. William M. Baker, Box 446	Thomas M. Lynch, Rt. 3	272
276 Beaver Dam (26)	Marshville	2 Tuesday	Robert W. Lane, Jr., Pemberton Pines	Pearl B. Greene, Rt. 1	276

277	Green Level (16)	Apex, Rt. 3	1 Saturday	Bruce C. Ferrell, Rt. 3	Clyde R. Mills, Rt. 2	277
279	Rehoboth (9)	Rosehill	2 and 4 Friday	Arthur L. Ward, Box 14	Robert E. Ward, Jr., Rt. 1	279
282	Wake Forest (15)	Wake Forest	2 and 4 Tuesday	Ray H. Branson, Box 888	Henry L. Miller	282
283	Eureka (25)	China Grove	1 and 3 Monday	Robert J. Davis, Box 134	Charles L. Basinger, Box 206	283
284	Greenville (5)	Greenville	1 and 3 Monday	Archibald R. House, 318 East 10th Street	Rufus H. Harrell	284
289	Salem (30)	Winston-Salem	1 Tuesday	Charles S. Kimel, Box 72, Salem Station	Gaither C. Lewis, 2012 Queen St.	289
292	French Broad (39)	Marshall	1 Monday	F. Ray Frisby, Box 367	Wade Huey, Box W	292
293	Vance (39)	Stocksville	2 Saturday	Willie L. Lankford, Rt. 1, Weaverville	Paul A. Davis	293
294	Atlantic (3)	Swanquarter	1 and 3 Thursday	Walter J. Lupton, Box 466	Charlie J. Cahoon	294
296	Stonewall (5)	Robersonville	1 and 3 Monday	John G. Taylor	Alvin M. Hasty	296
299	Harmony (29)	Harmony	2 and 4 Monday	W. Green Myers, Rt. 2	Robert D. Jones	299
300	Aurora (3)	Aurora	2 and 4 Monday	J. T. Wilkinson, Box 155	Ramon H. Paul, Jr., Edward	300
301	Clay (43)	Hayesville	2 Saturday	Andrew F. Padgett	Herman B. Estes, Brasstown	301
302	Lillington (14)	Lillington	Each Monday	Andrew R. Jackson, Box 183	Kenneth G. Mace, Box 31	302
304	Pleasant Hill (6)	Pink Hill	2 and 4 Thursday	William H. Howard	Earl Howard	304
305	Laurinburg (12)	Laurinburg	1 Tuesday	Walter C. Lassiter, Box 643	Jesse B. Lee, 905 West Church St.	305
306	Raeford (12)	Raeford	2 and 4 Tuesday	Lacy F. Clark	Jesse N. Gulledge	306
314	New Lebanon (1)	South Mills	1 Friday	Robert F. Spence, Box 113	Herbert T. Mullen	314
317	Eureka (1)	Elizabeth City	Every Tuesday	Wilbourne M. Smith, Box 386	Francis W. Clark, 403 Cedar St.	317
319	Wilmington (10)	Wilmington	3 Tuesday	John H. Edge, Rt. 1, Box 484	Haywood S. King, 114 S. 5th St.	319
320	Selma (17)	Selma	1 and 3 Tuesday	Raleigh H. Griffin, Box G	Newton A. Branch	320
322	Granite (31)	Mount Airy	*3 Tuesday	Jesse C. Hill, Box 70	Sam A. Hennis, Jr., Box 166	322
328	Mattamuskeet (3)	Engelhard	2 and 4 Wednesday	Cecil R. Silvertown, RFD	Ralph B. O'Neal, Stumpy Point	328
331	Bayboro (7)	Bayboro	2 and 4 Tuesday	Hallett W. Mayo, Box 106	S. Elmo Harper, Grantsboro	331
339	Fairview (37)	Kings Mountain	2 Monday	Paul W. Walker, 307 Parker Street	Arnold W. Kincaid, Church St.	339
340	Harmony (6)	Pikeville	2 and 4 Thursday	Claude S. Hinnant, Rt. 2	George C. Sasser, Rt. 2, Goldsboro	340
343	Hickory (36)	Hickory	1 and 3 Monday	Daniel L. Miller, Box 451	Theodore R. Kramer	343
344	Numa F. Reid (22)	High Point	2 Monday	Ernest T. Gregory, 311 Allred Street	Ernest L. Hollingsworth, 1022 Barbee St	344
348	Stanly (25)	Albemarle	1 and 3 Friday	L. Roy Whitley, 1202 West Main St.	John R. Deaton, % Albemarle Bakery	348
352	Durham (21)	Durham	2 and 4 Tuesday	Hubert M. Brown, Box 1365	Avery G. Sugg, 1009 Urban Ave.	352
356	Fallston (37)	Fallston	2 Monday	Dorman L. Williams, Box 14	C. Dixon Stroup	356
357	Bakersville (40)	Bakersville	S before 1 M & 3 Th.	Frank B. Wilson, Box 251	Lane A. Wilson, Box 233	357
358	East LaPorte (42)	East LaPort	1 and 3 Saturday	Albert E. Brown, Tuckasegee	John L. Waldroop, Tuckasegee	358
359	Mount Vernon (7)	Oriental	1 and 3 Friday	Charles E. Bray, Rt. 1, Merritt	Oswell I. Brinson, RFD, Merritt	359
363	Snow (40)	Boone	1 and 3 Friday	James T. C. Wright, 401 Stanbury Circle	Richard E. Kelley	363
369	Gastonia (28)	Gastonia	2 Friday	Dorus C. McSwain, 309 Hanna Street	Albert R. Rankin, Box 326	369
373	Ashler (33)	Deep Gap	2 Friday	Enoch R. Mikeal, Todd	Raymond S. Luther	373
374	Campbell (29)	Troutmans	2 and 4 Wednesday	James M. Reid, Rt. 1	Clark A. Sherrill	374
375	State Line (37)	Grover	2 Tuesday	Benjamin F. Bird	Murray C. Pruette, Box 12	375
377	Youngsville (19)	Youngsville	F before 1 and 3 Sun.	Jones H. Winston	William P. Pearce	377
378	Seaboard (4)	Seaboard	1 Monday	John P. Spencer, Jr., Box 12	Lester S. Ford, Jr.	378
379	Coharie (9)	Salemburg	1 and 3 Friday	James M. Royal, Box 96	Arthur R. Jones, Rt. 2, Roseboro	379
380	Granville (20)	Wake Forest, Rt. 3	4 Saturday	Sidney M. Bailey, Route 3	Edwin B. Davis, Oxford	380
381	Forest City (44)	Forest City	2 and 4 Tuesday	George C. Callison, 10 Magnolia Street	Charles E. Griffin, 410 Price St.	381
384	Reidsville (23)	Reidsville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Edward L. Somers, 308 Maple Ave.	Irvin R. Williams, Box 726	384
386	Pigeon River (41)	Canton	2 Thursday	Norman G. Williams, Box 788	Logan M. White, 9 Patton Ave.	386

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387 Kedron (38)	Hendersonville	1 and 3 Thursday	Daniel B. Hart, Box 68, Flat Rock	Samuel W. Gunter, 517 Whitted St.	387
388 Mooresboro (37)	Mooresboro	2 Friday	Joseph P. McSwain, Route 1	Paul M. Coley, Box 66, Lattimore	388
390 Copeland (31)	Copeland	2 Thursday	Thelmore C. Alberty, Rt. 2, Dobson	Marvin W. Nesbitt, Jr., Rt. 2, Dobson	390
391 Lebanon (14)	Hope Mills	2 Thursday	John W. Davis, Box 524	Fitzhugh L. Davis, Box 524	391
393 Tally Ho (20)	Stem	1 Saturday, 2 Monday	Alfred M. Goodwin, Rt. 1	Willard T. Winborne	393
395 Orient (10)	Wilmington	1 Thursday	Walter H. McClain, 31 Kenwood Avenue	Sam L. Houston, 219 Princess St.	395
397 Bald Creek (39)	Swiss	3 Saturday	Lot Randolph, Rt. 2, Mars Hill	Edgar J. Ball, Rt. 2, Mars Hill	397
401 Joppa (44)	Old Fort	2 and 4 Friday	Sidney F. Mauney, Box 73	Clyde M. Norton	401
403 Siler City (13)	Siler City	1 and 3 Friday	Robert B. Murdock, Box 21	Clarence E. Parks, Box 252	403
404 Denton (22)	Denton	1 Friday	Wayland H. Carter, Box 283	James E. Wilkins, Box I	404
405 Ocean (8)	Morehead City	2 and 4 Tuesday	Harvey L. Joslyn, Box 348	Cecil W. Sewell, Box 52	405
407 North Wilkesboro (33)	North Wilkesboro	2 and 4 Friday	Howard E. Kelly, Box 310	Cox A. Blevins, Rt. 1	407
408 University (21)	Chapel Hill	1 and 3 Monday	Robert C. Andrews, 120 W. Franklin St.	Glenn T. Proffit, 110 Berman Court	408
409 Bula (21)	Burlington	2 and 4 Monday	William L. Burke, Box 336	F. Franklin Overman, Box 244	409
411 Bailey (17)	Bailey	2 and 4 Monday	Horace M. Meacomes, Box 67	George W. Brantley	411
412 Henry F. Grainger (20)	Oxford, Rt. 3	Sat. before 2 Sunday	Carlton P. O'Brien, Rt. 5	Victor E. Knott, Rt. 5, Henderson	412
413 Louisburg (19)	Louisburg	2 and 4 Tuesday	John E. Rouse, Box 103	Henry F. Marshall, Rt. 2	413
417 Maxton (11)	Maxton	1 and 3 Monday	Clarence H. Whitlock, Box 125	Luther T. English	417
418 Potecasi (4)	Potecasi	*1 and 3 Thursday	Clayton W. Beale, Woodland	Lonnie C. Davis, Milwaukee	418
420 Harmon (30)	Yadkinville Rt. 3	1 and 3 Saturday	Ricie R. Badgett, Rt. 2	Ray Howell, Rt. 2, Mocksville	420
423 Sparta (34)	Sparta	1 and 3 Thursday	P. Eugene Higgins, Main St.	Clint R. Caudill, Whitehead	423
426 Montgomery (43)	Ranger	2 Saturday	R. Gay Davidson, Rt. 2, Murphy	Julius H. Montieth	426
427 Oconee (42)	Bryson City	1 and 3 Monday	Warren L. Lathan, Box U	Cowan Wikle, Lauada	427
428 Stokesdale (23)	Stokesdale	1 and 3 Tuesday	Pearlie P. Simpson, Box 22	Clay W. McCoy	428
429 Sea Side (8)	Swansboro	1 Friday and 3 Sat.	James W. Killian, Box 316	Herbert C. Riggs, Hubert	429
431 Relief (14)	Benson	1 Friday	Julian Godwin, Box 115	Alonzo Parrish, Jr., Box 22	431
432 Piney Creek (34)	Piney Creek	2 and 4 Friday	Mack L. Woodie	Claude D. Cox	432
433 Vanceboro (7)	Vanceboro	2 and 4 Wednesday	James E. White, Box 13	Frank L. Thomas, Box 105	433
434 West Bend (30)	Lewisville	1 and 3 Friday	Charles M. Lasley, Rt. 1, Clemmons	Clyde H. Holder, Rt. 1	434
435 Blue Ridge (42)	Highlands	1 and 3 Friday	Charles C. Potts, W. Main St.	Henry A. Cleveland, Box 434	435
437 Biscoe (24)	Biscoe	2 and last Friday	Neill W. Freeman, Box 360	Rufus H. Lassiter, Candor	437
439 Marble Springs (43)	Marble	1 Saturday	Ralph Kilpatrick	Victor Raxter	439
444 Marietta (24)	Ramseur	2 Friday	Alton W. Craven, Box 187	Charles R. Hodgin	444
446 Biltmore (39)	Asheville	Each Tuesday	Alfred J. Creasman, 26 Gracelyn Road	Claude N. Waldrop, 31 Oak Park Rd.	446
447 Enfield (4-A)	Enfield	1 and 3 Monday	Charles M. Hodgin, Church St.	Clarence P. Haskins	447
453 Clyde (41)	Clyde	2 Tuesday	Edwin Fincher, Box 68	Glenn W. Terrell, Rt. 2, Waynesville	453
454 Elkin (31)	Elkin	2 and 4 Tuesday	Ransome E. Smith, Box 477	Fred O. Eidson, 806 Elk Spur St.	454
459 Dillsboro (42)	Dillsboro	1 and 3 Thursday	Raymond Glenn, Box 173, Sylva	Edwin W. Allison, Sylva	459

460	Cliffside (44)	Cliffside	2 and 4 Monday	John A. Simmons	Leonard L. Wallace, Box 233, Avondale 460
461	Matthews (27)	Matthews	2 and 4 Thursday	James W. Russell, Box 234	Samuel V. Howard, Indian Trail 461
462	South Fork (28)	Cramerton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Addison G. McKeown, Box 33	John B. Turner, Jr., Box 8, W. Cramerton Station 462
463	Currituck (1)	Coinjock	2 Monday	Sam McHorney, Jr., Box 56, Grandy	Tilman S. Merrell, Poplar Branch 463
471	Grassy Knob (29)	Union Grove	Friday before 4 Sunday	Herman C. Sprinkle, Rt. 5, Statesville	Samuel T. Goforth, Olin 471
472	Sonoma (41)	Canton, Rt. 2	1 Thursday	Henry H. Garner, Rt. 1, Waynesville	Zemery R. Reece 472
473	Lexington (22)	Lexington	Each Friday	Doctor W. McCulloch, Box 351	James Z. Greer, Rt. 6 473
474	St. Pauls (11)	St. Pauls	1 Tuesday	Duncan C. McEachern, Box 475	Jesse L. Welsh 474
475	Grimesland (5)	Grimesland	1 and 3 Tuesday	George C. Elks	William F. Galloway 475
479	Rainbow (7)	Arapahoe	2 and 4 Friday	Rufus M. Banks	Talmage H. Tingle 479
482	Saluda (38)	Saluda	2 and 4 Tuesday	John F. Coates, Jr., Box 97, Estes Hill	Rufus B. Staton, Box 295, Overbrook Rd. 482
483	Traphill (33)	Traphill	1 and 3 Tuesday	John W Bryan	Kermit R. Pruitte 483
484	Southern Pines (12)	Southern Pines	1 and 3 Monday	Lloyd L. Woolley, Box 748	Herbert J. Dietenhofer, Pinehurst 484
486	Lawndale (37)	Lawndale	2 Friday	Fred L. Richards, Box 25	Fred H. Beam, Rt. 2 486
488	Rich Square (4)	Rich Square	2 and 4 Thursday	Roy T. Joyner, Route 1	Vigle E. Boomer 488
489	Linville (40)	Newland	2 and 4 Thursday	Lloyd W. Sudderth, Montezuma	Sam K. Mortimer, Jr. 489
491	Hominy (39)	Candler	1 Tuesday	Frank G. Cabe, Rt. 2	Guy W. Pruitt, Enka 491
492	Thomas M. Holt (21)	Graham	1 Friday and 3 Sat.	Charles A. Cates, Rt. 1	Zollie V. Foster, 409 S. Maple St. 492
493	Pilot (31)	Pilot Mountain	1 and 3 Friday	Dr. I. Frank Stone, Box 116	Raymond J. Boaz 493
495	Rockingham (12)	Rockingham	1 and 3 Monday	Dewey W. Coleman, 105 Scales St.	Wilson A. Hasty, 621 Ann St. 495
496	Mooresville (29)	Mooresville	2 and 4 Tuesday	Clark W. Murff, 109 W. Wilson Avenue	Cecil F. Howie, Rt. 3 496
497	Royal Hart (4-A)	Littleton	2 and 4 Monday	Alton W. Parker, Box 386	George W. Alston, RFD 497
498	Ayden (5)	Ayden	3 Tuesday	William B. Phillips, Box 212	Otto C. Stroud, Jr. 498
499	Creedmoor (20)	Creedmoor	M after 2 & 4 Sunday	Leon B. Perkinson, Butner	Ralph T. Neville 499
500	Raleigh (15)	Raleigh	1 and 3 Friday	John R. Sexton, Box 2912	Howard W. Shelden, 123 W. Park Dr. 500
501	Red Springs (11)	Red Springs	2 and 4 Thursday	Gunnar C. Lang, Box 24	Horace D. Jenkins, Box 123 501
502	Cookville (36)	Near Henry	1 Tu.; St. John's Day	Fred L. Phillips, Rt. 1, Newton	William A. Rhoney, Rt. 3, Vale 502
505	Cherryville (28)	Cherryville	1 Monday	George S. Falls, 205 N. Jacob Street	Alfonso B. Beam, 602 N. Styers St. 505
506	Unaka (43)	Unaka	3 Saturday	Charles F. Bates	Willard D. Graham 506
509	Belhaven (3)	Belhaven	2 and 4 Tuesday	G. Archie Thomas, Box 11	Redden H. Shavender, Ransomville 509
515	Whetstone (28)	Bessemer City	4 Tuesday	Walter L. Whitley, Box 22	Burton E. Callis, E. Washington Ave. 515
516	Aulander (2)	Aulander	1 and 3 Friday	Thomas H. Griffith, Box 81	Robert L. Wilson 516
517	Farmville (5)	Farmville	2 and 4 Thursday	Oscar G. Spell, 111 E. Horne Ave.	Sam D. Bundy, Box 476 517
519	Widow's Son (4-A)	Roanoke Rapids	2 and 4 Thursday	Lewis B. Jones, 710 Washington St.	Clarence V. Rose, 1015 W. 5th St. 519
520	Fairfield (3)	Fairfield	1 and 3 Tuesday	Guy R. Cutrell, General Delivery	Clifford M. Swindell, Box 21 520
521	Wanchese (1)	Wanchese	1 and 3 Thursday	Holmes O. Bridges, Box 95	Frank M. Cohoon, Box 11, Manteo 521
524	Pendleton (4)	Pendleton	2 and 4 Tuesday	Clifton A. Davis, Box 277, Conway	James W. Martin, Conway 524
525	Rodgers (17)	Middlesex	2 Sat. and 4 Monday	Bartley C. Strickland, Rt. 2	Bernice E. Strickland, Zebulon 525
527	Lucama (17)	Lucama	2 and 4 Thursday	James C. Lucus, Box 38	George H. Glover, Box 13 527
528	Fairmont (11)	Fairmont	1 Monday	Alex B. Stubbs, Box 464	John B. Clark 528
529	Andrews (43)	Andrews	1 Monday	Galusha Pullium	Olen H. Barton 529
530	Joppa (27)	Charlotte	1 Friday	Arthur W. Cunningham, Box 534 (1)	Nathaniel S. Fisher, Box 480 (5) 530
532	Hamlet (12)	Hamlet	2 and 4 Thursday	Len W. Spencer, Box 85	Arthur L. Kendall 532
534	Camp Call (37)	Shelby, Rt. 5	3 Saturday	Lester T. Warlick, Box 36, Polkville	Roy T. White, Polkville 534
535	Hollis (44)	Hollis	Sat. before 4 Sunday	Zeno Gettys, Rt. 1, Ellenboro	Garrett H. Jones, Rt. 2, Bostic 535

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538 Williams (27)	Cornelius	2 and 4 Thursday*	Robert T. Hoyle, Box 373, Davidson	Frank B. Washam, Box 105, Davidson	538
542 Corinthian (23)	Greensboro	2 and 4 Monday	Emory C. Fox, Box 1006	Bryan D. Davidson, B-1 Country Club Apts.	542
543 Spencer (25)	Spencer	2 and 4 Tuesday	James E. Connell, Box 366	Herbert L. Waller, Jr., 1206 Shaver St.	543
544 Mount Holly (28)	Mount Holly	1 and 3 Monday	Eurie L. Norwood, Box 338	Raymond E. Rhyne, Box 36	544
550 Roman Eagle (12)	Aberdeen	1 and 3 Thursday	Hardin A. Gunter, Box 385	Henry L. Marks	550
551 Glenville (42)	Glenville	2 Sat. and 4 Friday	John H. Rogers, Box 398, Cashiers	Christopher E. Burrell, Tuckasegee	551
552 Revolution (23)	Greensboro	1 and 3 Wednesday	William W. White, 803 Northridge St.	Leonard M. Thorne, 2308 McConnell Rd.	552
554 Vesper (40)	Spruce Pine	1 and 3 Thursday	William L. McNeill, Box 323	Wren R. Tolly	554
555 Elise (13)	Robbins	1 and 3 Tuesday	Ralph G. Steed, Box 187	Earl D. Hicks	555
556 Neil S. Stewart (14)	Erwin	2 and 4 Tuesday	Eugene G. Purcell, Box 596	Artie A. Jackson	556
558 Ararat (31)	Ararat	2 Friday*	Floyd E. Bryant	Roy E. Atkins, Rt. 1	558
561 Swannanoa (39)	Swannanoa	1 Thursday	Wendell L. Patton	Roy G. Clark, Box 114	561
562 Waxhaw (26)	Waxhaw	1 Tuesday	Roger B. Duval, Box 96	Richard E. Sims, Rt. 2	562
563 Tabor (10)	Tabor City	Tues. before 3 Sun.	Ruther T. Bruton, Box 66	James S. Rogers, Rt. 2	563
564 Richlands (8)	Richlands	1 and 3 Thursday	Ira J. Graves, Box 116	Orvis T. Mashburn, Rt. 2	564
565 Wendell (15)	Wendell	2 and 4 Tuesday	James T. Allen, Box 95	J. Haywood Biggs	565
568 Doric (7)	New Bern	2 and 4 Friday	Alfred H. Bremer, Box 703	Henry F. Hill, Rt. 4	568
569 Mount Pleasant (17)	Bailey, Rt. 1	4 Saturday	Leland F. Warren, Route 1	Thee A. Griffin, Rt. 1	569
571 Snow Creek (29)	Statesville, Rt. 5	1 and 3 Saturday	Henry Martin, Rt. 2	Oswald N. Sloan, Star Rt. 3	571
573 Mount Pleasant (33)	Champion	Sat. before 3 Sunday	John V. Idol, Route 1, Purlear	Henry C. Whittington, Rt. 1, Purlear	573
576 Andrew Jackson (25)	Salisbury	Each Thursday	Jasper E. Haynes, Box 497	Japard L. Harrington, 810 Church St.	576
578 Meadow Branch (26)	Wingate	1 and 3 Monday	Joe G. Chaney, Box 263	John J. Perry, 118 E. Wilson St.	578
579 Casar (37)	Casar	1 Thursday	Anderson V. Nolan, Box 45	Grady C. Martin	579
583 Ionic (7)	Cove City	2 and 4 Tuesday	Richard B. Heath, Box 8	Robert A. Avery	583
584 Apex (16)	Apex	2 and 4 Monday	Charlie E. Stephens, Box 125	Ralph H. Martin, Box 202	584
585 Roseboro (9)	Roseboro	1 and 3 Thursday	Peyton C. Sutton, Box 275	R. Paul Blevins	585
589 Bethel (5)	Bethel	1 Monday and 3 Th.	Robert L. Martin, Box 12	Walter Gray	589
590 Lowell (28)	Lowell	1 and 3 Tuesday	George F. Teague, Box 292, Woodlawn Sta.	W. Lee Cook	590
592 Maiden (36)	Maiden	2 Monday	Harry L. Harbinson, Box 125	Richard A. Heffner	592
593 Stony Point (29)	Stony Point	2 and 4 Tuesday	Samuel N. Honeycutt, Box 64	J. Bryan Matlock, Hiddenite	593
594 Ashe (34)	Jefferson	2 and 4 Tuesday	James H. Payne, Box 44, West Jefferson	Wiley D. McMillan, West Jefferson	594
595 Wallace (9)	Wallace	1 and 3 Monday	Clifton J. Knowles, Railroad St.	Manley C. Harvell	595
596 Waccamaw (10)	Bolton	2 and 4 Wednesday	Harry W. Pridgeon, Box 43, Delco	Herbert D. Bordeaux	596
598 Cranberry (40)	Elk Park	1 and 3 Tuesday	Ernest L. Lafferty, Box 5, Banner Elk	William C. Brinkley	598
602 Queen City (18)	Rocky Mount	1 and 3 Thursday	George C. Sharpe, 507 Park Place	James E. Parker, 109 S. Grace St.	602
605 Jeff L. Nelson (38)	Tryon	2 and 4 Monday	James W. Gantt, Box 67, Columbus	Robert S. McFarland, Columbus	605

606	River Side (36)	Catawba	2 Monday	O. Hugh Coulter, Box 12	Reggie R. Nichols, Box 123	606
607	Chadbourn (10)	Chadbourn	3 Tuesday	William S. Huggins, Box 116	James M. Jackson	607
609	Zebulon (15)	Zebulon	1 Tuesday	R. Vance Brown	Claud L. Dunn	609
612	Atkinson (10)	Atkinson	2 and 4 Monday	Robert L. Croom, Route 1, Box 3-A	Albert H. Pridgen, Jr., Gen. Del.	612
613	Home (6)	Fremont	2 Monday	Gerald L. Aycock, Rt. 2	Thomas D. Mosely, Box 172	613
616	Round Peak (31)	Mount Airy, Rt. 3	1 Friday	John W. Scott	Glenn Bircham	616
617	St. Patrick's (6)	Princeton	1 and 3 Wednesday	Berry L. Aycock, Box 92	Carl R. Gurley	617
618	Union (25)	Midland	Sat. before 2 Sunday	Joshua D. Fletcher, Rt. 1	F. D. Helms, Rt. 1, Indian Trail	618
624	John H. Mills (19)	Epsom	Th. before 1 Sunday	S. T. Ayscue, 22 Clark St., Henderson	Richard T. Renn, Rt. 1, Henderson	624
626	Cannon Memorial (25)	Kannapolis	1 and 3 Tuesday	Robert L. Shinn, Box 683	Daniel B. Jordan, Rt. 3, Box 63	626
627	Belmont (28)	Belmont	2 and 4 Monday	Walter T. Warren, 409 N. Central Avenue	Price M. Ewing, Jr., 121 Brian St.	627
629	Walnut Cove (30)	Walnut Cove	1 Tuesday and 3 Sat.	L. Marshall Johnson, Route 2	Wade L. Marshall, Rt. 2	629
630	Francis S. Packard (19)	Norlina	2 and 4 Thursday	Harry W. Walker, Box 307	Kenneth C. Severance, Box 277	630
634	Goldsboro (6)	Goldsboro	2 and 4 Monday	Hugh H. Alexander, 1309 E. Beech Street	Stedman F. Dallas, 1105 E. Maple St.	634
637	Yadkin Falls (25)	Badin	1 and 3 Monday	W. Hurd Davis, Box 1043	Rev. Daniel K. Snyder	637
643	Proctorville (11)	Proctorville	2 Monday	Henry H. Atkinson, Box 52	Edward R. Lockamy, Barnesville	643
646	Bladen (11)	Elizabethtown	1 and 3 Friday	Lee R. Cain, Box 34	William W. Woodhouse, Box 13	646
650	John A. Nichols (39)	Asheville	2 Thursday	James L. Brown, Box 6114, West Asheville	Harvey McDaris, 105 Broadway	650
654	Elberta (12)	West End	Tu. after 1 and 3 Sun.	Jake M. Willcox, Box 57	Thadeus J. Fletcher, Box 114	654
656	Guilford (23)	Greensboro	1 and 3 Monday	G. Worth Covington, Box 656	William B. Sparkes, 812 Hunt St.	656
657	Keller Memorial (25)	Rockwell	2 and 4 Monday	Paul J. Lyerly, Box 116, Granite Quarry	Ray W. Brown	657
658	Beulaville (9)	Beulaville	1 and 3 Tuesday	Foy W. Jones, Box 243	Joseph W. Smith	658
663	Black Mountain (39)	Black Mountain	1 Friday	George E. Kerlee	Cecil C. Nanney	663
664	Garland (9)	Garland	2 and 4 M.; St. J. Day	Lubin F. Bullard, Box 14	John Dyson	664
665	West Asheville (39)	Asheville	1 Monday	W. Kelly Roberts, Box 6086, West Asheville	Claude L. Cowan, 51 Covington St., West Asheville	665
666	N.C. Lo. of Res. (26)	Monroe	Every Saturday	Royal C. Stephenson, Box 1486, Raleigh	William N. Harper, Charlotte	666
667	Fort Bragg (14)	Fort Bragg	1 and 3 Tuesday	John W. Bridges, Box 156	Jack M. Greene, Box 125	667
668	Holland Memorial (28)	Gastonia	2 Thursday	William J. Terry, 207 West Sixth Ave.	James T. White, Box 394, Dallas	668
669	Kernersville (30)	Kernersville	1 Monday	David W. Griffith, Box 334	Lee J. Marshall, Box 423	669
670	Lovelady (36)	Valdese	2 Monday	George Grill, Route 1	Edward Pascal	670
672	Robbinsville (43)	Robbinsville	2 Tuesday	Arthur Ford, Box 163	Leo L. Morris, Fontana Dam	672
673	Spindale (44)	Spindale	2 and 4 Tuesday	Maurice L. Scoggin, Box 633	Joe R. Daniel, 109 Center St.	673
674	Acacia (22)	High Point	1 Thursday	J. Roy Teague, Box 334	J. Roscoe Adams, 703 Arlington Ave.	674
675	Washington (3)	Washington	1 and 3 Monday	Thomas H. Patterson, Box 793	Joe A. Marshburn	675
676	Temple (27)	Charlotte	2 Thursday	Louis E. Lamkin, Box 82 (1)	J. Sam Hinson, 449 West Blvd.	676
677	Warsaw (9)	Warsaw	2 and 4 Tuesday	Quincy J. Sutton, Sr., Box 307	Benjamin F. Hobbs, Sr.	677
678	Providence (3)	Columbia	1 and 3 Wednesday	Donald M. Alexander, Box 194	Maurice G. Pritchett, Rt. 2	678
679	Creasy Proctor (14)	Fayetteville	2 Tuesday	Hugh D. Burton, 207 Myrover St.	James R. Luther, Box 282	679
680	Semper Fidelis (8)	Midway Park	2 and 4 Wednesday	James G. Crouch, 602 Butler Dr.	Eduston W. Williams, 500 Butler Dr.	680
681	Piedmont (22)	High Point	2 Friday	Woodroe F. Haywood, Box 1288	Robert L. Hubbard, Jr., Jamestown	681
682	Manteo (1)	Manteo	1 and 3 Friday	Robert H. Atkinson, Box 222	William H. Basnight	682
683	Rolesville (15)	Rolesville	1 and 3 Thursday	Alvin T. Wiggins, Rt. 1, Box 229A	Ludwell T. Barham, Rt. 1, Youngsville	683
684	Ahoskie (2)	Ahoskie	1 and 3 Thursday	Charles I. Pierce, Box 323	Wallace T. Gray	684

685	Pioneer (30)	Winston-Salem	1 Wednesday	Howard R. Bosworth, Box 2811	Norris E. Burrington, Box 2811 685
686	Angier (16)	Angier	2 and 4 Tuesday	Laucy E. Johnson	Charlie B. Smith, Rt. 1, Varina 686
687	Fellowship (21)	Durham	2 Friday	J. Ray Rex, 308 Newsom St.	Cabell B. Jones, Box 1852 687
688	Cherry Point (7)	Havelock	1 and 3 Thursday	George B. Foy, Box 356	Stacy T. Lupton, 45 E. Central Dr. 688

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2. Secretary should keep this list on his desk for reference at all times.

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Acacia	674
Adoniram	149
Ahoskie	684
American George	17
Andrew Jackson	576
Andrews	529
Angier	686
Apex	584
Ararat	558
Archer	165
Ashe	594
Ashler	373
Atkinson	612
Atlantic	294
Aulander	516
Aurora	300
Ayden	498
Bailey	411
Bakersville	357
Bald Creek	397
Balfour	188
Bayboro	331
Beaver Dam	276
Belhaven	509
Belmont	627
Bethel	589
Beulaville	658
Biltmore	446
Bingham	272
Biscoe	437
Blackmer	127, 170
Black Mountain	663
Bladen	646
Blue Ridge	435
Buffalo	172
Bula	409
Campbell	374
Camp Call	534
Cannon Memorial	626
Carthage	181
Cary	198
Casar	579
Caswell Brotherhood	11
Catawba	248
Catawba Valley	217
Central Cross	187
Chadbourn	607
Charity	5
Cherokee	146
Cherry Point	688
Cherryville	505
Clay	301
Cliffside	460
Clyde	453
Cleveland	202
Coharie	379
Colerain	171
Columbus	102
Concord	58
Cookville	502
Copeland	390
Corinthian	230, 542
Cranberry	598
Creasy Proctor	679
Creedmoor	499
Currituck	463
Dan River	129
Davie	39
Denton	404
Dillsboro	459
Doric	568
Dunn's Rock	267
Durham	352
Eagle	19
East LaPorte	358
Elberta	654
Elise	555
Elkin	454
Enfield	447
Eno	210
Eureka	283, 317
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Fallston	356
Farmington	265
Farmville	517
Fellowship	84, 687
Forest City	381
Fort Bragg	667
Francis S. Packard	630
Franklin	109
Franklinton	123
French Broad	292
Fulton	99
Fuquay	258
Garland	664
Gaston	263
Gastonia	369
Gatesville	126
George Washington	174
Glenville	551
Goldsboro	634
Granite	191, 322
Granville	380
Grassy Knob	471
Green Level	277
Greensboro	76
Greenville	284
Grifton	243
Grimesland	475
Guilford	656
Hall	53
Hamlet	532
Hanks	128
Harmon	420
Harmony	299, 340
Henderson	229
Henry F. Grainger	412
Hibriten	262
Hickory	343
Hiram	40, 98
Holland Memorial	668
Hollis	535
Holly Springs	115
Home	613
Hominy	491
Ionic	583
Jeff L. Nelson	605
Jerusalem	95
John A. Nichols	650
John H. Mills	624
Johnston-Caswell	10
Joppa	401, 530
Joseph Warren	92
Junaluskee	145
Kedron	387
Keller Memorial	657
Kenly	257
Kernersville	669
Kilwinning	64
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Knap of Reeds	158
LaFayette	83
Laurinburg	305
Lawndale	486
Leaksville	136
Lebanon	207, 391
Lee	253
Lenoir	233
Lexington	473
Liberty	45
Lillington	302
Lincoln	137
Linville	489
Long Creek	205
Louisburg	413
Lovelady	670
Lowell	590
Lucama	527
Maiden	592
Manteo	682
Marble Springs	439
Marietta	444
Mattamuskeet	328

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Maxton	417
Meadow Branch	578
Mecklenburg	176
Millbrook	97
Mill Creek	125
Mingo	206
Mocksville	134
Monroe	244
Montgomery	426
Mooresboro	388
Mooresville	496
Morning Star	85
Mount Hermon	118
Mount Holly	544
Mount Lebanon	117
Mount Olive	208
Mount Pleasant	569, 573
Mount Vernon	143, 359
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N. C. Lodge of Research	666
Neil S. Stewart	556
New Lebanon	314
North Wilkesboro	407
Numa F. Reid	344
Ocean	405
Oconee	427
Orient	395
Orr	104
Oxford	122
Palmyra	147
Pee Dee	150
Pendleton	524
Perquimans	106
Perseverance	59
Person	113
Phalanx	31
Phoenix	8
Piedmont	681
Pigeon River	386
Pilot	493
Piney Creek	432
Pioneer	685
Pleasant Hill	304
Potecasi	418
Proctorville	643
Providence	678
Pythagoras	249
Queen City	602
Radiance	132
Raeford	306
Rainbow	479
Raleigh	500
Red Springs	501
Rehoboth	279
Reidsville	384
Relief	431
Revolution	552
Richlands	564
Rich Square	488
River Side	606
Roanoke	203
Robbinsville	672
Rockingham	495
Rodgers	525
Rolesville	683
Roman Eagle	550
Roseboro	585
Round Peak	616
Royal Hart	497
Royal White Hart	2
Salem	289
Saluda	482
Sanford	151
Scotch Ireland	154
Seaboard	378
Sea Side	429
Selma	320
Semper Fidelis	680
Siler City	403
Skewarkee	90
Snow	363
Snow Creek	571
Sonoma	472

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Southern Pines	484
South Fork	462
Sparta	423
Spencer	543
Spindale	673
St. Alban's	114
Stanly	348
State Line	375
Statesville	27
St. John's	1, 3, 4, 13
Stokes	32
Stokesdale	428
Stonewall	296
Stony Point	593
St. Patrick's	617
St. Pauls	474
Swannanoa	561
Tabor	563
Tally Ho	393
Temple	676
Thomas M. Holt	492
Thomasville	214
Tobasco	271
Traphill	483
Unaka	506
Unanimity	7
Union	618
University	408
Vance	293
Vanceboro	433
Vesper	554
Waccamaw	596
Wake Forest	282
Wallace	595
Walnut Cove	629
Wanchese	521
Warsaw	677
Washington	675
Waxhaw	562
Wayne	112
Waynesville	259
Wendell	565
West Asheville	665
West Bend	434
Western Star	91
Whetstone	515
White Stone	155
Wiccacon	240
Widow's Son	75, 519
William G. Hill	218
Williams	538
William T. Bain	231
Wilmington	319
Wilson	226
Winston	167
Yadkin	162
Yadkin Falls	637
Youngsville	377
Zebulon	609
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Aberdeen ---------- 550
Ahoskie ---------- 684
Albemarle ---------- 348
Andrews ---------- 529
Angier ---------- 686
Apex ---------- 584
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Apex, RFD 3---------- 277
Arapahoe ---------- 479
Ararat ---------- 558
Asheboro ---------- 188
Asheville-----118, 446, 650, 665
Atkinson ---------- 612
Aulander ---------- 516
Aurora ---------- 300
Ayden ---------- 498
Badin ---------- 637
Bahama ---------- 158
Bailey ---------- 411
Bailey, RFD 1---------- 569
Bakersville ---------- 357
Bayboro ---------- 331
Beaufort ---------- 109
Belhaven ---------- 509
Belmont ---------- 627
Benson ---------- 431
Bessemer City ---------- 515
Bethel ---------- 589
Beulaville ---------- 658
Biscoe ---------- 437
Black Mountain ---------- 663
Bolton ---------- 596
Bonlee ---------- 143
Boone ---------- 363
Brevard ---------- 267
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Burlington ---------- 409
Camden ---------- 75
Candler ---------- 491
Canton ---------- 386
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Cary ---------- 198
Casar ---------- 579
Catawba ---------- 606
Chadbourn ---------- 607
Champion ---------- 573
Chapel Hill ---------- 408
Charlotte ---- 31, 261, 530, 676
Cherryville ---------- 505
China Grove ---------- 283
Clayton ---------- 191
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Cleveland ---------- 154
Cliffside ---------- 460
Clinton ---------- 98
Clyde ---------- 453
Coinjock ---------- 463
Colerain ---------- 171
Columbia ---------- 678
Concord ---------- 32
Copeland ---------- 390
Cornelius ---------- 538
Cornwall ---------- 149
Cove City ---------- 583
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Dallas ---------- 263
Davidson ---------- 176
Deep Gap ---------- 373
Denton ---------- 404
Dillsboro ---------- 459
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East LaPort ---------- 358
Edenton ---------- 7
Elizabeth City ---------- 317
Elizabethtown ---------- 646
Elkin ---------- 454
Elk Park ---------- 598
Enfield ---------- 447
Engelhard ---------- 328
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Fairfield ---------- 520
Fairmont ---------- 528
Fallston ---------- 356
Farmington ---------- 265
Farmville ---------- 517
Fayetteville ---------- 8, 679
Forest City ---------- 381
Fort Bragg ---------- 667
Franklin ---------- 145
Franklinton ---------- 123
Franklinville ---------- 128
Fremont ---------- 613
Fuquay Springs ---------- 258
Garland ---------- 664
Gastonia ---------- 369, 668
Gatesville ---------- 126
Gibsonville ---------- 271
Glenville ---------- 551
Goldsboro ---------- 112, 634
Graham ---------- 492
Greensboro---- 76, 542, 552, 656
Greenville ---------- 284
Grifton ---------- 243
Grimesland ---------- 475
Grover ---------- 375
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Hamlet ---------- 532
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Harrellsville ---------- 240
Havelock ---------- 688
Hayesville ---------- 301
Henderson ---------- 229
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Highlands ---------- 435
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Hillsboro ---------- 19
Hollis ---------- 535
Holly Springs ---------- 115
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Huntersville ---------- 205
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Jackson ---------- 56
Jacksonville ---------- 83
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Kenansville ---------- 13
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Kernersville ---------- 669
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LaGrange ---------- 233
Laurinburg ---------- 305
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Leaksville ---------- 136
Lenoir ---------- 262
Lewiston ---------- 39
Lewisville ---------- 434
Lexington ---------- 473
Lillington ---------- 302
Lincolnton ---------- 137
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Mount Olive ---------- 208
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Nashville ---------- 85
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Newton ---------- 248
Newton Grove ---------- 125
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North Wilkesboro ---------- 407
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Old Fort ---------- 401
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Oxford ---------- 122
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Pikeville ---------- 340
Pilot Mountain ---------- 493
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Pink Hill ---------- 304
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Raeford ---------- 306
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Tryon ---------- 605
Unaka ---------- 506
Union Grove ---------- 471
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Vanceboro ---------- 433
Wadesboro ---------- 64
Wakefield ---------- 155
Wake Forest ---------- 282
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Wilkesboro ---------- 45
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1. Alamance ---------- 272, 409, 492
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3. Alleghany ---------- 423, 432
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6. Avery ---------- 489, 598
7. Beaufort ---------- 104, 300, 509, 675
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9. Bladen ---------- 646
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11. Buncombe ---------- 118, 170, 293, 446, 491, 561, 650, 663, 665
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21. Chowan ---------- 7
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23. Cleveland ---------- 202, 339, 356, 375, 388, 486, 534, 579
24. Columbus ---------- 190, 207, 563, 596, 607

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29. Davidson ----------214, 404, 473
30. Davie ----------134, 265
31. Duplin ----------13, 279, 595, 658, 677
32. Durham ----------158, 210, 352, 687
33. Edgecombe ---------- 58
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35. Franklin ----------123, 377, 413
36. Gaston ----------263, 369, 462, 505, 515, 544, 590, 627, 668
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43. Harnett ----------147, 302, 556, 686
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49. Iredell ----------27, 226, 299, 374, 471, 496, 571
50. Jackson ----------358, 459, 551
51. Johnston ----------84, 165, 191, 257, 320, 431, 617
52. Jones ---------- 81
53. Lee ----------151, 172
54. Lenoir ----------4, 233, 304
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56. Macon ----------145, 435
57. Madison ---------- 292
58. Martin ----------90, 296
59. McDowell ----------237, 401
60. Mecklenburg ----------31, 176, 205, 261, 461, 530, 538, 676
61. Mitchell ----------357, 554
62. Montgomery ----------127, 437
63. Moore ----------181, 484, 550, 555, 654
64. Nash ----------85, 187, 230, 411, 525, 569, 602
65. New Hanover ----------1, 319, 395
66. Northampton ----------56, 378, 418, 488, 524
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1 St. John's (10)	Wilmington	New Hanover	11	10	9	3	2	0	0	4	8	13	676	665	11	0	7	1
2 Royal W. Hart (4-A)	Halifax	Halifax	5	5	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	63	69	0	6	0	2
3 St. John's (7)	New Bern	Craven	15	16	17	2	0	0	0	1	4	3	173	184	0	11	0	3
4 St. John's (6)	Kinston	Lenoir	18	15	11	2	1	0	0	2	2	5	348	353	0	5	9	4
5 Charity (2)	Windsor	Bertie	5	5	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	133	136	0	3	2	5
7 Unanimity (2)	Edenton	Chowan	5	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	121	124	0	3	1	7
8 Phoenix (14)	Fayetteville	Cumberland	27	28	28	5	1	0	0	0	9	2	361	384	0	23	10	8
10 Johnston-Caswell (19)	Warrenton	Warren	7	4	7	2	2	1	0	1	0	2	67	74	0	7	0	10
11 Caswell Bro'hood (21)	Yanceyville	Caswell	6	5	5	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	129	130	0	1	3	11
13 St. John's (9)	Kenansville	Duplin	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	199	195	4	0	2	13
17 American George (4)	Murfreesboro	Hertford	11	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	95	102	0	7	2	17
19 Eagle (21)	Hillsboro	Orange	2	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	173	175	0	2	2	19
27 Statesville (29)	Statesville	Iredell	9	13	13	4	1	0	0	3	4	4	244	251	0	7	3	27
31 Phalanx (27)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	17	16	17	6	3	0	0	7	2	6	602	613	0	11	5	31
32 Stokes (25)	Concord	Cabarrus	28	25	25	0	0	0	0	1	4	5	363	378	0	15	4	32
39 Davie (2)	Lewiston	Bertie	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	57	60	0	3	3	39
40 Hiram (15)	Raleigh	Wake	40	42	47	7	4	0	0	3	4	2	515	564	0	49	6	40
45 Liberty (33)	Wilkesboro	Wilkes	7	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	99	98	1	0	0	45
53 Hall (1)	Indiantown*	Currituck	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	103	107	0	4	1	53
56 King Solomon (4)	Jackson	Northampton	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	88	86	2	0	1	56
58 Concord (18)	Tarboro	Edgecombe	11	11	11	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	134	145	0	11	1	58
59 Perseverance (3)	Plymouth	Washington	4	5	7	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	175	180	0	5	2	59
64 Kilwinning (26)	Wadesboro	Anson	3	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	128	130	0	2	5	64

75	Widow's Son (1)	Camden	Camden	4	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	66	70	0	4	0	75
76	Greensboro (23)	Greensboro	Guilford	50	47	47	13	5	0	0	2	5	9	535	584	0	49	1	76
81	Zion (7)	Trenton	Jones	9	11	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	66	72	0	6	0	81
83	LaFayette (8)	Jacksonville	Onslow	9	12	14	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	172	184	0	12	7	83
84	Fellowship (14)	Smithfield	Johnston	6	5	7	0	1	0	0	0	2	3	150	153	0	3	0	84
85	Morning Star (18)	Nashville	Nash	11	9	9	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	86	94	0	8	0	85
90	Skewarkee (2)	Williamston	Martin	6	5	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	171	175	0	4	6	90
91	Western Star (44)	Rutherfordton	Rutherford	5	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	92	94	0	2	0	91
92	Joseph Warren (17)	Stantonsburg	Wilson	2	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	91	89	2	0	0	92
95	Jerusalem (6)	Hookerton	Greene	3	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	43	46	0	3	0	95
97	Millbrook (15)	Millbrook	Wake	9	11	9	0	1	0	0	1	1	3	55	60	0	5	1	97
93	Hiram (9)	Clinton	Sampson	9	7	8	1	2	0	0	1	2	5	191	194	0	3	2	98
99	Fulton (25)	Salisbury	Rowan	20	21	22	5	1	0	0	2	0	12	322	336	0	14	3	99
102	Columbus (13)	Pittsboro	Chatham	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	69	70	0	1	0	102
104	Orr (3)	Washington	Beaufort	9	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	201	202	0	1	2	104
106	Perquimans (1)	Hertford	Perquimans	3	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	90	95	0	5	2	106
109	Franklin (8)	Beaufort	Carteret	17	18	16	6	0	0	0	1	0	4	242	259	0	17	9	109
112	Wayne (6)	Goldsboro	Wayne	16	16	16	3	2	0	0	0	1	4	252	268	0	16	5	112
113	Person (20)	Roxboro	Person	10	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	165	168	0	3	2	113
114	St. Alban's (11)	Lumberton	Robeson	18	17	16	3	0	0	0	0	6	5	304	312	0	8	9	114
115	Holly Springs (16)	Holly Springs	Wake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	38	37	1	0	0	115
117	Mount Lebanon (17)	Wilson	Wilson	20	11	17	5	1	0	0	7	2	3	244	255	0	11	2	117
118	Mount Hermon (39)	Asheville	Buncombe	10	18	18	10	6	0	0	6	6	11	565	576	0	11	2	118
122	Oxford (20)	Oxford	Granville	7	9	8	0	1	0	0	3	5	3	160	158	2	0	1	122
123	Franklinton (19)	Franklinton	Franklin	12	8	5	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	74	80	0	6	0	123
125	Mill Creek (9)	Newton Grove	Sampson	2	7	8	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	67	77	0	10	1	125
126	Gatesville (1)	Gatesville	Gates	7	7	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	74	82	0	8	0	126
127	Blackmer (24)	Mount Gilead	Montgomery	3	4	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	61	67	0	6	0	127
128	Hanks (24)	Franklinville	Randolph	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	40	39	1	0	0	128
129	Dan River (22)	Madison	Rockingham	13	8	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	100	109	0	9	0	129
132	Radiance (6)	Snow Hill	Greene	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	73	72	1	0	1	132
134	Mocksville (30)	Mocksville	Davie	10	12	12	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	135	145	0	10	2	134
136	Leaksville (23)	Leaksville	Rockingham	10	9	7	2	0	0	0	0	2	5	190	192	0	2	4	136
137	Lincoln (28)	Lincolnton	Lincoln	4	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	145	146	0	1	0	137

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138 King Solomon (10)	Burgaw	Pender	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	163	160	3	0	1	138
143 Mount Vernon (13)	Bonlee	Chatham	8	8	9	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	62	71	0	9	0	143
145 Junaluskee (42)	Franklin	Macon	7	11	11	3	0	0	0	1	3	0	152	162	0	10	0	145
146 Cherokee (43)	Murphy	Cherokee	7	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	133	134	0	1	4	146
147 Palmyra (14)	Dunn	Harnett	22	20	22	4	0	0	0	0	2	5	271	290	0	19	0	147
149 Adoniram (20)	Cornwall*	Granville	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	44	0	0	0	149
150 Pee Dee (25)	Norwood	Stanly	4	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	49	0	6	0	150
151 Sanford (13)	Sanford	Lee	5	4	5	7	0	0	0	2	2	8	256	256	0	0	1	151
154 Scotch Ireland (25)	Cleveland	Rowan	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	85	84	1	0	0	154
155 White Stone (15)	Wakefield*	Wake	10	10	11	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	88	95	0	7	1	155
158 Knap of Reeds (21)	Bahama	Durham	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	58	58	0	0	0	158
162 Yadkin (30)	Yadkinville	Yadkin	3	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	1	5	113	113	0	0	0	162
165 Archer (15)	Clayton, RFD	Johnston	8	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	46	54	0	8	0	165
167 Winston (30)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	37	41	40	7	4	0	0	2	7	8	485	519	0	34	0	167
170 Blackmer (39)	Weaverville	Buncombe	11	7	5	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	101	104	0	3	0	170
171 Colerain (2)	Colerain	Bertie	4	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	64	69	0	5	0	171
172 Buffalo (13)	Sanford	Lee	13	14	14	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	131	147	0	16	0	172
174 Geo. Washington (16)	Apex, Rt. 1	Chatham	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	46	47	0	1	0	174
176 Mecklenburg (27)	Davidson	Mecklenburg	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	75	0	3	0	176
181 Carthage (13)	Carthage	Moore	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	64	60	4	0	2	181
187 Central Cross (18)	Hunts*	Nash	7	7	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	72	80	0	8	2	187
188 Balfour (24)	Asheboro	Randolph	6	3	3	6	0	0	0	1	1	1	199	205	0	6	4	188
190 Fair Bluff (10)	Fair Bluff	Columbus	4	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	83	86	0	3	0	190

191	Granite (15)	Clayton	Johnston	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	42	0	3	0	191
198	Cary (16)	Cary	Wake	6	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	106	108	0	2	1	198
202	Cleveland (37)	Shelby	Cleveland	23	21	21	5	2	0	0	1	4	2	405	426	0	21	5	202
203	Roanoke (4-A)	Weldon	Halifax	4	2	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	60	60	0	0	0	203
205	Long Creek (27)	Huntersville	Mecklenburg	4	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	124	132	0	8	0	205
206	Mingo (9)	Dunn, RFD	Sampson	3	2	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	44	48	0	4	1	206
207	Lebanon (10)	Whiteville	Columbus	4	5	4	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	130	135	0	5	4	207
208	Mount Olive (6)	Mount Olive	Wayne	8	7	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	119	126	0	7	5	208
210	Eno (21)	Durham	Durham	23	21	17	3	2	0	0	1	11	3	266	273	0	7	3	210
214	Thomasville (22)	Thomasville	Davidson	13	9	9	2	0	0	0	3	1	3	185	189	0	4	2	214
217	Catawba Valley (36)	Morganton	Burke	11	11	12	2	1	0	0	1	1	4	187	196	0	9	4	217
218	William G. Hill (15)	Raleigh	Wake	45	42	42	1	6	0	0	1	3	9	641	677	0	36	6	218
226	Wilson (29)	Olin	Iredell	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	47	0	2	0	226
229	Henderson (19)	Henderson	Vance	9	8	8	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	202	212	0	10	6	229
230	Corinthian (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	22	20	18	1	2	0	0	2	0	2	241	258	0	17	0	230
231	William T. Bain (16)	Raleigh, Rt. 3	Wake	4	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	52	58	0	6	1	231
233	Lenoir (6)	La Grange	Lenoir	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	44	46	0	2	0	233
237	Mystic Tie (44)	Marion	McDowell	5	4	4	2	1	0	0	0	1	3	175	178	0	3	1	237
240	Wiccacon (2)	Harrellsville	Hertford	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	46	43	3	0	0	240
243	Grifton (5)	Grifton	Pitt	3	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	3	4	115	112	3	0	3	243
244	Monroe (26)	Monroe	Union	22	19	19	1	1	0	0	2	4	4	238	249	0	11	3	244
248	Catawba (36)	Newton	Catawba	9	7	7	6	1	0	0	0	3	2	177	186	0	9	1	248
249	Pythagoras (10)	Southport	Brunswick	6	6	4	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	125	125	0	0	2	249
253	Lee (29)	Taylorsville	Alexander	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	116	117	0	1	2	253
257	Kenly (17)	Kenly	Johnston	7	9	9	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	75	78	0	3	0	257
258	Fuquay (16)	Fuquay Springs	Wake	8	11	10	2	0	0	0	1	24	1	128	114	14	0	0	258
259	Waynesville (41)	Waynesville	Haywood	13	13	14	4	2	0	0	4	3	4	173	182	0	9	0	259
261	Excelsior (27)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	93	96	95	11	1	0	0	9	6	13	972	1051	0	79	5	261
262	Hibriten (36)	Lenoir	Caldwell	15	18	19	2	1	0	0	0	1	6	305	320	0	15	7	262
263	Gaston (28)	Dallas	Gaston	12	11	11	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	100	110	0	10	1	263
265	Farmington (30)	Farmington	Davie	3	6	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	30	36	0	6	0	265
267	Dunn's Rock (38)	Brevard	Transylvania	11	11	13	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	206	212	0	6	2	267
271	Tobasco (23)	Gibsonville	Guilford	11	6	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	66	71	0	5	2	271
272	Bingham (21)	Mebane	Alamance	25	25	26	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	113	140	0	27	4	272

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276 Beaver Dam (26)	Marshville	Union	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	75	77	0	2	0	276
277 Green Level (16)	Apex, Rt. 3	Wake	6	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	43	45	0	2	0	277
279 Rehoboth (9)	Rosehill	Duplin	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	75	75	0	0	0	279
282 Wake Forest (15)	Wake Forest	Wake	7	7	6	1	0	0	0	1	7	1	101	99	2	0	0	282
283 Eureka (25)	China Grove	Rowan	12	11	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	156	162	0	6	0	283
234 Greenville (5)	Greenville	Pitt	11	11	12	2	2	0	0	3	3	5	328	333	0	5	1	284
289 Salem (30)	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	44	45	45	7	1	0	0	1	8	6	529	567	0	38	2	289
292 French Broad (39)	Marshall	Madison	11	14	15	1	1	0	0	0	5	0	154	166	0	12	1	292
293 Vance (39)	Stocksville	Buncombe	15	15	15	1	0	0	0	0	1	5	120	130	0	10	0	293
294 Atlantic (3)	Swanquarter	Hyde	6	5	4	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	62	62	0	0	1	294
296 Stonewall (5)	Robersonville	Martin	8	7	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	109	114	0	5	1	296
299 Harmony (29)	Harmony	Iredell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	56	54	2	0	0	299
300 Aurora (3)	Aurora	Beaufort	6	7	8	1	0	0	0	2	2	1	114	118	0	4	2	300
301 Clay (43)	Hayesville	Clay	4	2	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	154	155	0	1	2	301
302 Lillington (14)	Lillington	Harnett	11	9	7	2	0	0	0	0	2	3	134	138	0	4	1	302
304 Pleasant Hill (6)	Pink Hill	Lenoir	11	12	12	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	82	99	0	17	2	304
305 Laurinburg (12)	Laurinburg	Scotland	10	7	8	4	0	0	0	1	3	3	165	170	0	5	3	305
306 Raeford (12)	Raeford	Hoke	9	8	12	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	125	133	0	8	2	306
314 New Lebanon (1)	South Mills	Camden	3	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	79	81	0	2	4	314
317 Eureka (1)	Elizabeth City	Pasquotank	23	26	27	2	2	0	0	3	1	3	278	302	0	24	10	317
319 Wilmington (10)	Wilmington	New Hanover	10	10	10	3	4	0	0	3	3	4	376	383	0	7	3	319
320 Selma (17)	Selma	Johnston	7	6	6	4	1	0	0	2	1	1	104	111	0	7	1	320
322 Granite (31)	Mount Airy	Surry	8	9	9	4	1	0	0	0	2	3	281	290	0	9	11	322

328	Mattamuskeet (3)	Engelhard	Hyde	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81	82	0	1	2	328
331	Bayboro (7)	Bayboro	Pamlico	11	7	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	146	156	0	10	1	331
339	Fairview (37)	Kings Mountain	Cleveland	8	9	10	2	1	0	0	0	2	2	124	133	0	9	1	339
340	Harmony (6)	Pikeville	Wayne	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	65	60	5	0	0	340
343	Hickory (36)	Hickory	Catawba	20	25	25	5	•1	0	0	0	1	4	271	297	0	26	10	343
344	Numa F. Reid (22)	High Point	Guilford	24	22	22	2	11	0	0	0	0	5	327	357	0	30	0	344
348	Stanly (25)	Albemarle	Stanly	17	19	19	3	4	0	0	0	2	5	277	296	0	19	4	348
352	Durham (21)	Durham	Durham	35	37	37	14	4	0	0	7	18	11	551	570	0	19	15	352
356	Fallston (37)	Fallston	Cleveland	3	8	8	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	60	67	0	7	1	356
357	Bakersville (40)	Bakersville	Mitchell	10	11	13	0	4	0	0	0	2	1	143	157	0	14	0	357
358	East LaPorte (42)	East LaPort	Jackson	7	6	4	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	96	98	0	2	0	358
359	Mount Vernon (7)	Oriental	Pamlico	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	110	109	1	0	2	359
363	Snow (40)	Boone	Watauga	9	12	10	0	2	0	0	1	1	1	129	138	0	9	1	363
369	Gastonia (28)	Gastonia	Gaston	33	27	32	7	3	0	0	0	7	12	502	525	0	23	7	369
373	Ashler (33)	Deep Gap	Watauga	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	52	51	1	0	0	373
374	Campbell (29)	Troutmans	Iredell	4	5	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	36	41	0	5	0	374
375	State Line (37)	Grover	Cleveland	4	3	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	43	45	0	2	1	375
377	Youngsville (19)	Youngsville	Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	38	0	0	0	377
378	Seaboard (4)	Seaboard	Northampton	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	57	56	1	0	0	378
379	Coharie (9)	Salemburg	Sampson	6	5	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	43	46	0	3	0	379
380	Granville (20)	W. Forest, Rt. 3	Granville	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	26	25	1	0	0	380
381	Forest City (44)	Forest City	Rutherford	6	5	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	98	101	0	3	1	381
384	Reidsville (23)	Reidsville	Rockingham	17	15	15	1	0	0	0	1	2	3	265	275	0	10	10	384
386	Pigeon River (41)	Canton	Haywood	15	15	15	2	1	0	0	2	3	3	178	188	0	10	1	386
387	Kedron (38)	Hendersonvile	Henderson	14	13	8	8	0	0	0	0	2	4	223	233	0	10	2	387
388	Mooresboro (37)	Mooresboro	Cleveland	6	7	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	101	106	0	5	2	388
390	Copeland (31)	Copeland*	Surry	5	5	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	82	81	1	0	0	390
391	Lebanon (14)	Hope Mills	Cumberland	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	76	75	1	0	1	391
393	Tally Ho (20)	Stem	Granville	4	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	24	24	0	0	0	393
395	Orient (10)	Wilmington	New Hanover	7	7	8	1	0	0	0	4	2	5	218	216	2	0	2	395
397	Bald Creek (39)	Swiss	Yancey	12	8	9	6	1	0	0	3	1	3	129	138	0	9	4	397
401	Joppa (44)	Old Fort	McDowell	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	62	63	0	1	0	401
403	Siler City (13)	Siler City	Chatham	8	8	8	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	162	171	0	9	3	403
404	Denton (22)	Denton	Davidson	1	2	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	69	73	0	4	0	404

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405 Ocean (8)	Morehead City	Carteret	17	18	21	1	1	0	0	2	1	1	185	204	0	19	5	405
407 North Wilkesboro (33)	N. Wilkesboro	Wilkes	7	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	164	166	0	2	0	407
408 University (21)	Chapel Hill	Orange	13	10	10	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	153	161	0	8	0	408
409 Bula (21)	Burlington	Alamance	12	12	13	3	2	0	0	2	4	4	343	351	0	8	5	409
411 Bailey (17)	Bailey	Nash	4	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	68	70	0	2	0	411
412 Henry F. Grainger (20)	Oxford, Rt. 3	Granville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	34	33	1	0	0	412
413 Louisburg (19)	Louisburg	Franklin	6	6	6	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	140	145	0	5	0	413
417 Maxton (11)	Maxton	Robeson	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	77	78	0	1	2	417
418 Potecasi (4)	Potecasi	Northampton	9	8	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	126	128	0	2	2	418
420 Harmon (30)	Yadkinville, R. 3	Yadkin	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	30	30	0	0	0	420
423 Sparta (34)	Sparta	Alleghany	8	8	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	74	86	0	12	0	423
426 Montgomery (43)	Ranger	Cherokee	7	9	9	0	1	0	0	3	0	2	118	123	0	5	0	426
427 Oconee (42)	Bryson City	Swain	4	7	7	2	0	0	0	0	2	3	144	148	0	4	1	427
428 Stokesdale (23)	Stokesdale	Guilford	6	6	9	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	74	83	0	9	0	428
429 Sea Side (8)	Swansboro	Onslow	10	10	10	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	97	106	0	9	4	429
431 Relief (14)	Benson	Johnston	4	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	105	106	0	1	0	431
432 Piney Creek (34)	Piney Creek	Alleghany	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	30	29	1	0	0	432
433 Vanceboro (7)	Vanceboro	Craven	9	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	76	83	0	7	1	433
434 West Bend (30)	Lewisville	Forsyth	2	4	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	70	75	0	5	0	434
435 Blue Ridge (42)	Highlands	Macon	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	61	62	0	1	1	435
437 Biscoe (24)	Biscoe	Montgomery	7	7	8	0	1	0	0	1	1	6	185	186	0	1	0	437
439 Marble Springs (43)	Marble	Cherokee	3	3	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	49	51	0	2	0	439
444 Marietta (24)	Ramseur	Randolph	7	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	50	53	0	3	0	444

446	Biltmore (39)	Asheville	Buncombe	13	15	13	2	1	0	0	0	2	5	129	138	0	9	0	446
447	Enfield (4-A)	Enfield	Halifax	5	5	5	1	0	0	0	3	0	5	139	137	2	0	0	447
453	Clyde (41)	Clyde	Haywood	2	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	95	96	0	1	0	453
454	Elkin (31)	Elkin	Surry	8	5	7	2	1	0	0	2	3	2	145	148	0	3	1	454
459	Dillsboro (42)	Dillsboro	Jackson	9	8	8	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	172	178	0	6	4	459
460	Cliffside (44)	Cliffside	Rutherford	6	8	6	0	2	0	0	2	2	1	103	106	0	3	0	460
461	Matthews (27)	Matthews	Mecklenburg	19	15	14	6	2	0	0	0	1	0	80	101	0	21	1	461
462	South Fork (28)	Cramerton	Gaston	7	7	6	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	126	131	0	5	1	462
463	Currituck (1)	Coinjock	Currituck	4	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	153	153	0	0	1	463
471	Grassy Knob (29)	Union Grove	Iredell	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	63	61	2	0	0	471
472	Sonoma (41)	Canton, Rt. 2	Haywood	7	7	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	90	94	0	4	0	472
473	Lexington (22)	Lexington	Davidson	13	13	12	2	0	0	0	0	4	2	275	283	0	8	7	473
474	St. Pauls (11)	St. Pauls	Robeson	5	7	8	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	71	80	0	9	2	474
475	Grimesland (5)	Grimesland	Pitt	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	46	46	0	0	1	475
479	Rainbow (7)	Arapahoe	Pamlico	6	5	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	60	68	0	8	2	479
482	Saluda (38)	Saluda	Polk	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	3	36	37	0	1	0	482
483	Traphill (33)	Traphill	Wilkes	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	27	26	1	0	0	483
484	Southern Pines (12)	Southern Pines	Moore	16	14	13	1	1	0	0	9	2	2	165	167	0	2	0	484
486	Lawndale (37)	Lawndale	Cleveland	5	4	4	2	0	0	0	1	2	1	68	70	0	2	1	486
488	Rich Square (4)	Rich Square	Northampton	3	2	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	3	67	66	1	0	2	488
489	Linville (40)	Newland	Avery	4	5	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	115	120	0	5	0	489
491	Hominy (39)	Candler	Buncombe	7	8	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	123	133	0	10	0	491
492	Thomas M. Holt (21)	Graham	Alamance	5	5	5	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	84	88	0	4	0	492
493	Pilot (31)	Pilot Mountain	Surry	16	11	10	2	1	0	0	1	0	2	80	90	0	10	0	493
495	Rockingham (12)	Rockingham	Richmond	12	12	13	3	0	0	0	0	3	5	189	197	0	8	3	495
496	Mooresville (29)	Mooresville	Iredell	12	10	11	1	0	0	0	1	4	0	137	144	0	7	1	496
497	Royal Hart (4-A)	Littleton	Warren	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	83	82	1	0	0	497
498	Ayden (5)	Ayden	Pitt	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	112	116	0	4	0	498
499	Creedmoor (20)	Creedmoor	Granville	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	56	0	5	1	499
500	Raleigh (15)	Raleigh	Wake	21	21	20	1	1	0	0	2	0	3	217	234	0	17	0	500
501	Red Springs (11)	Red Springs	Robeson	4	4	4	1	0	0	0	1	6	1	140	137	3	0	2	501
502	Cookville (36)	Near Henry*	Catawba	3	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	55	0	5	0	502
505	Cherryville (28)	Cherryville	Gaston	7	7	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	146	150	0	4	1	505
506	Unaka (43)	Unaka	Cherokee	2	2	2	0	2	0	0	3	3	2	94	90	4	0	0	506

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509 Belhaven (3)	Belhaven	Beaufort	3	4	7	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	139	146	0	7	1	509
515 Whetstone (28)	Bessemer City	Gaston	7	6	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	87	96	0	9	3	515
516 Aulander (2)	Aulander	Bertie	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	49	47	2	0	0	516
517 Farmville (5)	Farmville	Pitt	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	129	131	0	2	2	517
519 Widow's Son (4-A)	Roanoke Rapids	Halifax	13	12	12	1	1	0	0	1	2	2	166	175	0	9	4	519
520 Fairfield (3)	Fairfield	Hyde	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	44	0	1	0	520
521 Wanchese (1)	Wanchese	Dare	4	5	5	0	1	0	0	2	2	3	290	289	1	0	0	521
524 Pendleton (4)	Pendleton	Northampton	12	13	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	98	108	0	10	3	524
525 Rodgers (17)	Middlesex	Nash	5	6	6	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	40	43	0	3	0	525
527 Lucama (17)	Lucama	Wilson	4	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	66	70	0	4	2	527
528 Fairmont (11)	Fairmont	Robeson	30	34	34	5	2	0	0	2	0	3	96	132	0	36	3	528
529 Andrews (43)	Andrews	Cherokee	7	7	7	1	0	0	0	1	2	2	115	118	0	3	0	529
530 Joppa (27)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	43	39	39	6	6	0	0	1	9	15	833	859	0	26	12	530
532 Hamlet (12)	Hamlet	Richmond	5	7	5	1	1	1	0	2	0	4	211	211	0	0	2	532
534 Camp Call (37)	Shelby, Rt. 5	Cleveland	4	7	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	106	107	0	1	1	534
535 Hollis (44)	Hollis	Rutherford	12	12	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	64	0	14	0	535
538 Williams (27)	Cornelius	Mecklenburg	13	11	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	52	62	0	10	0	538
542 Corinthian (23)	Greensboro	Guilford	38	39	34	5	2	0	0	2	3	6	384	414	0	30	0	542
543 Spencer (25)	Spencer	Rowan	10	13	13	1	1	1	0	0	1	7	210	216	0	6	9	543
544 Mount Holly (28)	Mount Holly	Gaston	13	14	13	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	130	143	0	13	2	544
550 Roman Eagle (12)	Aberdeen	Moore	5	3	2	1	1	0	0	7	1	1	73	68	5	0	0	550
551 Glenville (42)	Glenville	Jackson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	49	48	1	0	0	551
552 Revolution (23)	Greensboro	Guilford	38	51	48	5	0	0	0	0	2	3	388	436	0	48	0	552

554	Vesper (40)	Spruce Pine	Mitchell	9	9	11	1	1	0	0	4	1	1	126	133	0	7	4	554
555	Elise (13)	Robbins	Moore	7	8	10	1	0	0	0	0	2	3	108	114	0	6	0	555
556	Neil S. Stewart (14)	Erwin	Harnett	5	5	6	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	158	163	0	5	3	556
558	Ararat (31)	Ararat	Surry	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	23	0	0	0	558
561	Swannanoa (39)	Swannanoa	Buncombe	6	6	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	86	90	0	4	1	561
562	Waxhaw (26)	Waxhaw	Union	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	57	0	5	0	562
563	Tabor (10)	Tabor City	Columbus	9	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	90	90	0	0	1	563
564	Richlands (8)	Richlands	Onslow	7	7	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	43	0	8	0	564
565	Wendell (15)	Wendell	Wake	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	4	105	102	3	0	0	565
568	Doric (7)	New Bern	Craven	37	43	48	3	4	0	0	6	38	15	566	562	4	0	25	568
569	Mount Pleasant (17)	Bailey, Rt. 1	Nash	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	26	0	2	0	569
571	Snow Creek (29)	Statesville, R. 5	Iredell	3	3	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	50	52	0	2	0	571
573	Mount Pleasant (33)	Champion	Wilkes	5	6	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	64	68	0	4	0	573
576	Andrew Jackson (25)	Salisbury	Rowan	29	32	33	8	4	0	0	0	1	6	229	267	0	38	1	576
578	Meadow Branch (26)	Wingate	Union	4	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	51	0	3	0	578
579	Casar (37)	Casar	Cleveland	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	51	0	0	1	579
583	Ionic (7)	Cove City	Craven	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	85	0	6	1	583
584	Apex (16)	Apex	Wake	7	8	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	80	0	9	0	584
585	Roseboro (9)	Roseboro	Sampson	4	7	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	83	85	0	2	2	585
589	Bethel (5)	Bethel	Pitt	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	71	72	0	1	1	589
590	Lowell (28)	Lowell	Gaston	11	13	13	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	141	154	0	13	1	590
592	Maiden (36)	Maiden	Catawba	7	5	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	99	103	0	4	1	592
593	Stony Point (29)	Stony Point	Alexander	7	8	8	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	71	78	0	7	0	593
594	Ashe (34)	Jefferson	Ashe	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	114	110	4	0	1	594
595	Wallace (9)	Wallace	Duplin	7	7	9	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	183	189	0	6	1	595
596	Waccamaw (10)	Bolton	Columbus	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	51	53	0	2	0	596
598	Cranberry (40)	Elk Park	Avery	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	8	1	4	129	119	10	0	0	598
602	Queen City (18)	Rocky Mount	Nash	12	7	9	1	1	0	0	3	0	4	200	204	0	4	2	602
605	Jeff L. Nelson (38)	Tryon	Polk	2	3	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	75	80	0	5	4	605
606	River Side (36)	Catawba	Catawba	6	6	7	1	3	0	0	0	0	2	99	108	0	9	3	606
607	Chadbourn (10)	Chadbourn	Columbus	8	4	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	95	97	0	2	4	607
609	Zebulon (15)	Zebulon	Wake	3	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	77	0	5	0	609
612	Atkinson (10)	Atkinson	Pender	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	57	0	0	1	612
613	Home (6)	Fremont	Wayne	1	3	4	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	62	65	0	3	0	613

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616 Round Peak (31)	Mount Airy, R. 3	Surry	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	89	92	0	3	1	616
617 St. Patrick's (6)	Princeton	Johnston	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	28	0	1	0	617
618 Union (25)	Midland	Cabarrus	3	5	5	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	93	95	0	2	0	618
624 John H. Mills (19)	Epsom*	Vance	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	48	49	0	1	0	624
626 Cannon Memorial (25)	Kannapolis	Cabarrus	37	37	37	7	0	0	0	0	2	3	444	483	0	39	20	626
627 Belmont (28)	Belmont	Gaston	16	15	15	3	0	0	0	3	1	3	219	230	0	11	6	627
629 Walnut Cove (30)	Walnut Cove	Stokes	2	2	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	84	89	0	5	0	629
630 Francis S. Packard (19)	Norlina	Warren	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	67	67	0	0	0	630
634 Goldsboro (6)	Goldsboro	Wayne	13	14	15	1	2	0	0	1	5	0	212	224	0	12	1	634
637 Yadkin Falls (25)	Badin	Stanly	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	118	115	3	0	1	637
643 Proctorville (11)	Proctorville	Robeson	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	30	29	1	0	1	643
646 Bladen (11)	Elizabethtown	Bladen	3	8	8	1	0	0	0	3	1	1	68	72	0	4	0	646
650 John A. Nichols (39)	Asheville	Buncombe	9	11	14	6	2	0	0	2	0	1	204	223	0	19	1	650
654 Elberta (12)	West End	Moore	5	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	71	74	0	3	0	654
656 Guilford (23)	Greensboro	Guilford	26	29	29	4	0	0	0	0	2	2	257	286	0	29	1	656
657 Keller Memorial (25)	Rockwell	Rowan	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	50	49	1	0	0	657
658 Beulaville (9)	Beulaville	Duplin	2	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	83	0	4	0	658
663 Black Mountain (39)	Black Mountain	Buncombe	8	9	8	1	1	0	0	0	1	4	108	113	0	5	1	663
664 Garland (9)	Garland	Sampson	7	7	7	2	2	0	0	1	1	2	43	50	0	7	1	664
665 West Asheville (39)	Asheville	Buncombe	10	19	20	2	5	0	0	3	2	3	180	199	0	19	1	665
666 N. C. Lodge Res. (26)	Monroe	Union	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	35	34	1	0	0	666
667 Fort Bragg (14)	Fort Bragg	Cumberland	40	37	39	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	264	303	0	39	5	667
668 Holland Memorial (28)	Gastonia	Gaston	28	28	28	6	0	0	0	0	2	2	255	285	0	30	1	668

669	Kernersville (30)	Kernersville	Forsyth	5	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	85	88	0	3	1	669
670	Lovelady (36)	Valdese	Burke	9	11	10	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	119	129	0	10	2	670
672	Robbinsville (43)	Robbinsville	Graham	12	11	11	0	1	0	0	2	6	0	138	142	0	4	2	672
673	Spindale (44)	Spindale	Rutherford	6	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	112	119	0	7	0	673
674	Acacia (22)	High Point	Guilford	19	18	19	3	1	0	0	1	2	4	216	232	0	16	2	674
675	Washington (3)	Washington	Beaufort	18	17	17	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	122	143	0	21	3	675
676	Temple (27)	Charlotte	Mecklenburg	68	71	71	6	0	0	0	1	1	2	271	344	0	73	11	676
677	Warsaw (9)	Warsaw	Duplin	9	8	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	86	94	0	8	2	677
678	Providence (3)	Columbia	Tyrrell	6	8	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	62	0	11	2	678
679	Creasy Proctor (14)	Fayetteville	Cumberland	15	13	12	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	112	127	0	15	10	679
680	Semper Fidelis (8)	Midway Park	Onslow	22	22	21	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	105	124	0	19	3	680
681	Piedmont (22)	High Point	Guilford	15	15	14	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	82	98	0	16	0	681
682	Manteo (1)	Manteo	Dare	4	4	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	50	54	0	4	1	682
683	Rolesville	Rolesville	Wake	6	4	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	21	27	0	6	1	683
684	Ahoskie	Ahoskie	Hertford	14	8	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	55	0	15	1	684
685	Pioneer	Winston-Salem	Forsyth	19	16	15	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	59	0	21	1	685
U.D.	Angier	Angier	Harnett	8	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	31	0	4	0	
U.D.	Fellowship	Durham	Durham	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	25	0	
U.D.	Cherry Point	Havelock	Craven	0	0	0	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	0	41	0	
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